

## **District 5**



# PRIMARY RECORD

California Department of Parks and Recreation  
Office of Historic Preservation

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NRHP Status Code 5N, 5N, 5N, 5N

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Resource Identifier: Alma Forest Fire Station

- P1. Location:** a. County: Santa Clara and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 19650 State Highway 17  
City: Los Gatos Zip: 95030  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Los Gatos (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1953 (Rev. 1980) Zone: 10 mE: 589660 mN: 4115500  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APN: 558-410-11

Legal: 5.04 acres located in the Northeast 1/4 of Section 5 Township 9 South Range 1 West MDB&M.

- P2. Description:** (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

This fire station includes a 1935 barracks, a 1935 combination kitchen-messhall, a 1935 equipment garage, and a 1935 gas and oil house. The buildings were moved from the old Alma Ranger Unit Headquarters to the present site in 1953. The 1,782 barracks is a single story wood frame building. It has a concrete perimeter foundation, plywood panel siding, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, enclosed eaves, and asphalt composition shingles over a cross-gabled roof. The building has a rear facing "L" floor plan. Concrete steps and landing lead to the front door which is centrally located on the southeast elevation. The entry is shaded by an extended shed roof. Two posts support the porch roof. A 4' x 18' gable roof bay is on the northwest gable end of the front wing. The bay is off-set to the left end of the wall. The bay is part of a 16' x 25' addition that was added to this end of the barracks. A rear entry is recessed in a small alcove on the northeast wall of the addition. Redwood steps and a small deck front this alcove entry. Centrally located (eave side) on the southeast elevation of the rear wing is a dropped shed roof. A small utility closet and side entry are protected by this roof. The shed roof overhanging the side entry is supported by a wood post on the northeast end. Another door is to the left of the utility closet, being on the southeast gable end of the front wing. (See continuation page)

- P3. Resources Present:** ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

**P4. Photograph or Drawing** (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



Southwest elevation of the barracks.

**P5. Date Constructed/Age:**

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1935 moved 1953 (F)  
CDF Property Records

**P6. Owner and Address:**

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

**P7. Recorded by:**

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

**P8. Date Recorded:**

March 29, 1994

**P9. Type of Survey:**

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

**Describe:** building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations:** (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

**Attachments:** ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☒ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
☐ Archaeological Record ☐ District Record ☐ Milling Station Record ☐ Rock Art Record ☐ Artifact Record ☐ Photograph Record  
☐ Other (list): \_\_\_\_\_

# CONTINUATION SHEET

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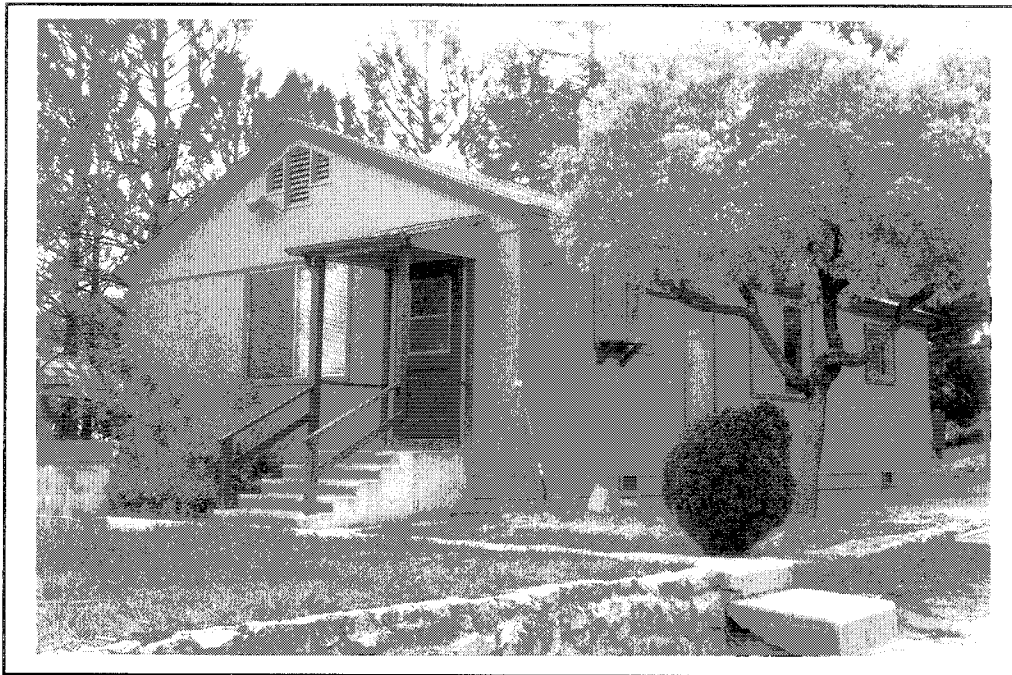
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Louvered attic vents are in each of the principal roof's three gables and in the bay gable as well. To the northwest is the 1,025 square foot kitchen-messhall. It is a rectangular single story wood frame building with a concrete perimeter foundation, plywood panel siding, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, enclosed eaves, and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. Three panel "chevron" louvered attic vents are centered in each gable end. Off-set on the eastern gable end is a shed roof covered entry door. Another door is centrally located on the southern elevation. This gable side entry is covered by an extended shed roof. Both shed roofs are supported by two wood posts (each). To the southeast of the kitchen-messhall is a stone pedestal. An open wood frame covered with simple gable roof is upon this stonework, and a dinner bell is suspended below the roof.

The 2,442 square foot rectangular equipment garage has a concrete slab foundation, plywood panel siding, fascia, and corrugated metal paneling over a tri-gabled roof. The building consists of two sections. The gable front wing is a combination office and two stall truck garage which was constructed circa 1969. The rear wing is a one stall garage between two storerooms. The rear section was moved here in 1953. The building has a "drive through" floor plan. The front wing's gable end vehicle entries have overhead aluminum sectional doors. To the left is the office door which is shaded by a cantilevered shed roof. The addition has 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows on the northern and western elevations. The original section of the garage has five large 1/1 fixed pane windows centered on the south gable end. A 1/1 double hung window is centered on the north gable end being flanked by paired 1/1 wood frame sash windows. The single stall rear entry (added circa 1969) is centrally located on the east elevation (gable side). The entry is flanked on each side by a pair of large 1/1 fixed pane windows. Louvered attic vents are located in each of the three gables.

The gas and oil house has a concrete slab foundation, plywood panel siding, plain fascia, and corrugated metal over a simple gable roof. Recessed under the south (gable side) elevation is a concrete fuel pump island. Two wood posts provide support for the unbalanced gable roof. A five panel door is centered on this elevation. A 1/1 window is located on the east gable end. A three foot high rock retaining wall runs behind the gas and oil house extending on behind the neighboring equipment garage.

The fire station is located on the southeast side of the Santa Cruz Highway in hilly terrain up slope from the Lexington Reservoir. The property has been terraced for the building sites and has landscaping of lawn, shrubs, and trees around the barracks and messhall. A paved driveway runs around three sides of the equipment garage and leads up to a parking area on the north side of the barracks. On a lower level to the east of the fire station compound is a Helitack Base. The base includes crew quarters, helipad, and hanger facilities.



Eastern and northern elevations of the kitchen-messhall (former RUH office).



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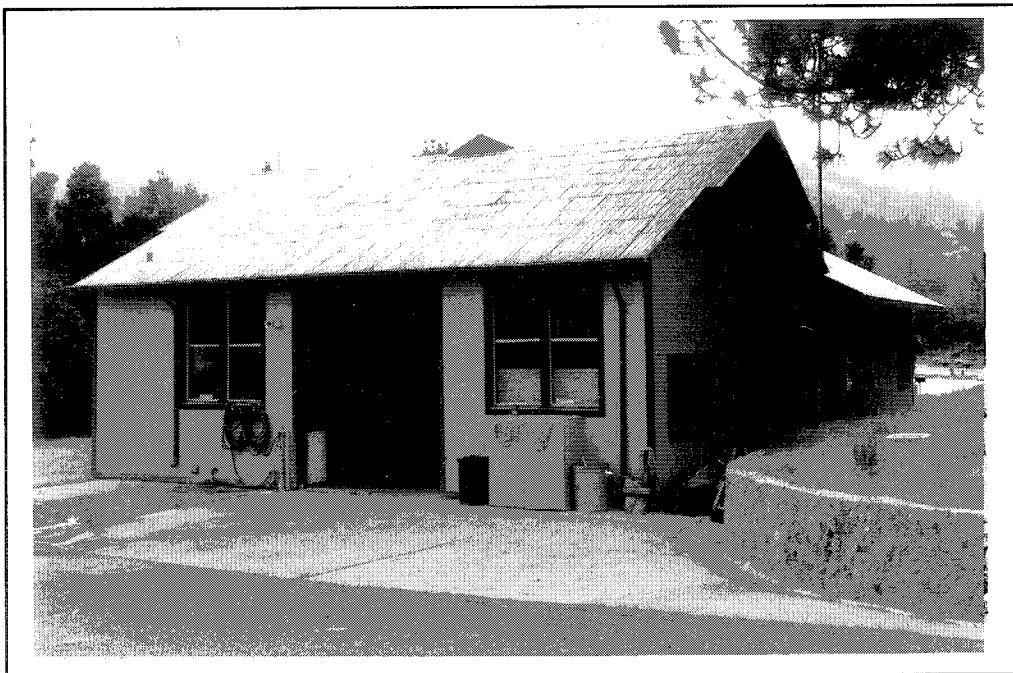
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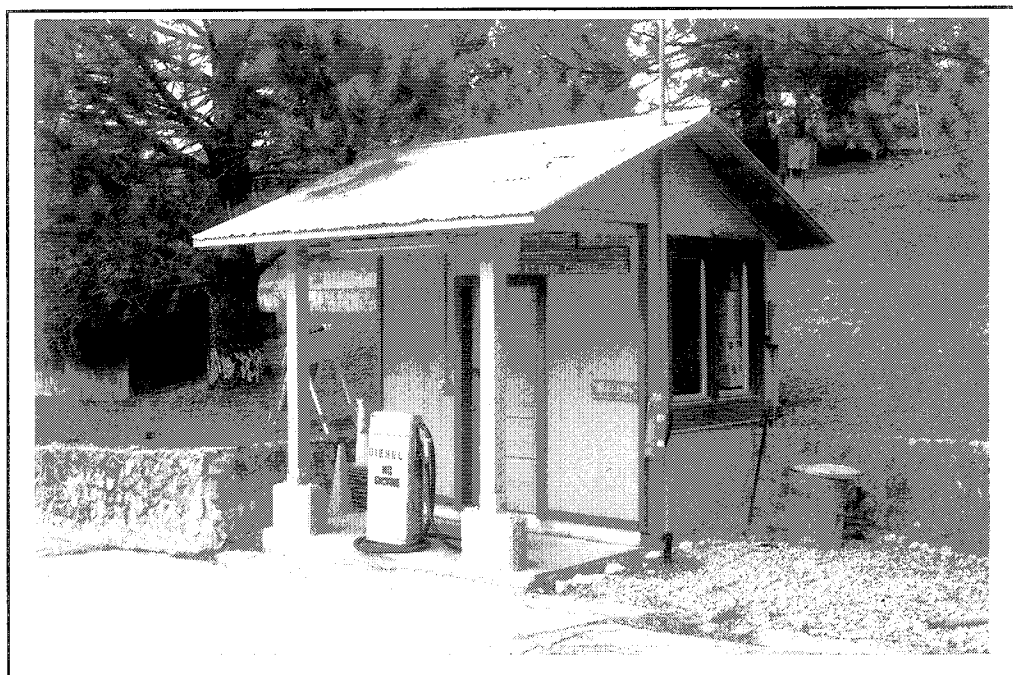
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East and north elevations of the equipment garage.



South and east elevations of the gas and oil house.

# MAP SHEET

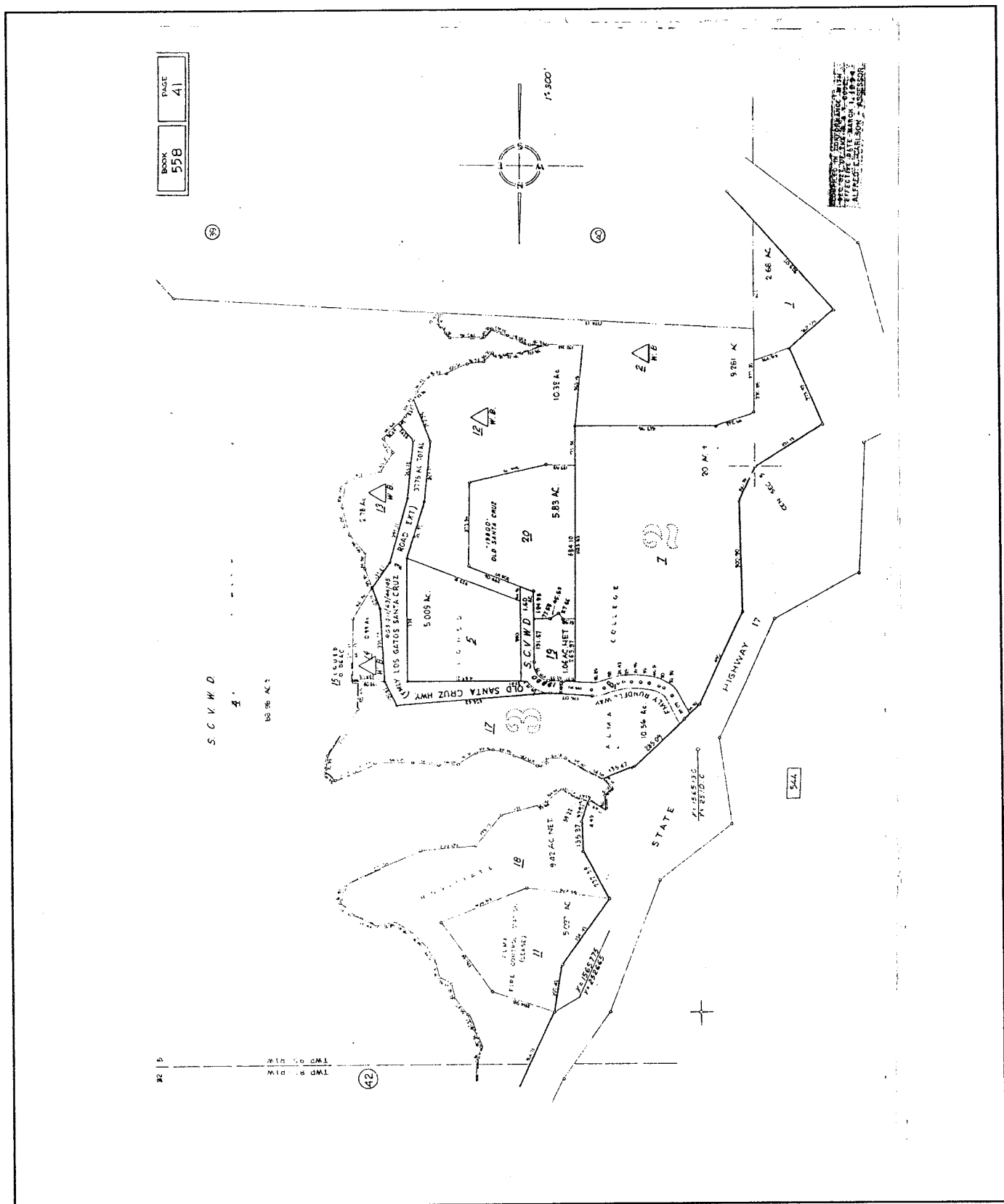
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Map Name: Santa Clara County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 558 Page 41 Scale: reduced scale Date: 1994



# BUILDING, STRUCTURE, AND OBJECT RECORD

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Office of Historic Preservation

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Resource Identifier: Alma Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Alma Fire Control Station Barracks

B2. Common Name: Alma Forest Fire Station Barracks

B3. Address: 19650 State Highway 17

City: Los Gatos

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95030

B4. Zoning: HS (hillside)

B5. Threats: none

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with enclosed eaves

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Relocated, remodeled, and enlarged in 1953 (recessed front porch enclosed, interior floor plan changed). New siding windows and etc., date(s) unknown. Women's bathroom addition (northwest gable end of the front wing) circa 1992.

B8. Moved? ☐ No ☒ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: 1953 Original Location: Lexington Reservoir

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station group of buildings.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC construction program Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- state fire station, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1935 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

There are seven buildings in the CDF pre-1946 property inventory that appear to be based on a standardized 25' x 40' floor plan. These buildings were probably based on a variation of the USFS-CCC "D" plans. The Alma building was originally located at the Alma Ranger Unit Headquarters. The headquarters compound was located where Lexington Reservoir is now. The buildings at the Alma Forest Fire Station were moved here in 1953. The barracks was remodeled and enlarged at the time of the move (reference CDF Plan AA-107). In 1992 a woman's rest room addition was constructed (reference CDF Plan 1940-6A). The building has undergone other revisions, as well.

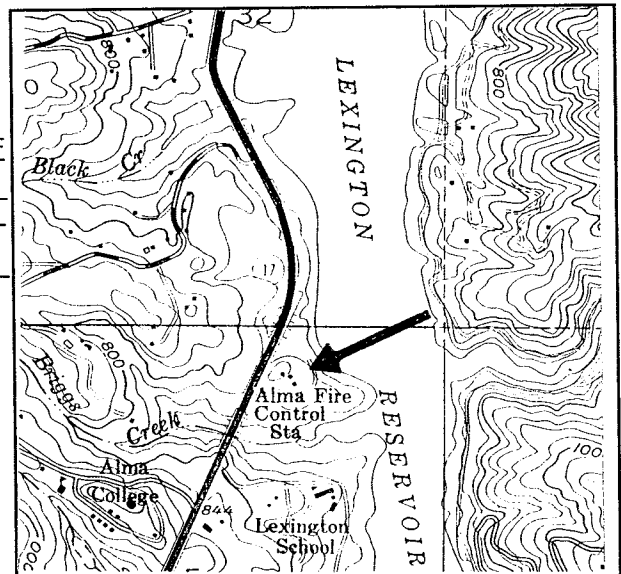
B13. References: *A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF Building Inventory. "S-5 Inventory/Photo Album,"* CDF Technical Services, Sacramento.  
Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

Affiliation/Address: California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

B15. Date of Evaluation: November 1994

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Resource Identifier: Alma Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Alma Fire Control Station Messhall

B2. Common Name: Alma Forest Fire Station Messhall

B3. Address: 19650 State Highway 17

City: Los Gatos

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95030

B4. Zoning: HS (hillside)

B5. Threats: none

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with enclosed eaves

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Remodeled at time of move (recessed front porch enclosed, interior floor plan redesigned). New siding, windows, roofing and etc., late 1970s (estimate).

B8. Moved? ☐ No ☒ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: 1953 Original Location: Lexington Reservoir

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station group of buildings.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC construction program

Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 – state fire station, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1935 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

A copy of the working plans for this building is located in the engineering files at the U.S. Forest Service Region 5 Office in San Francisco. The plan is titled "Office Building - State Division of Forestry - Alma, California." The Alma building was moved to the present site in 1953. The old location is now under the waters of Lexington Reservoir. The office was converted to a combination kitchen and messhall at the time of the move. It has been remodeled since but the original 25' x 41' footprint is basically intact. The recessed porch is gone, and both interior and exterior cladding has been replaced. Most likely, several of the CDF ranger unit headquarters offices were based on the "Alma type". In all cases, those other offices have either been completely razed or totally remodeled and enlarged beyond recognition as a USFS-CCC "E-2" design.

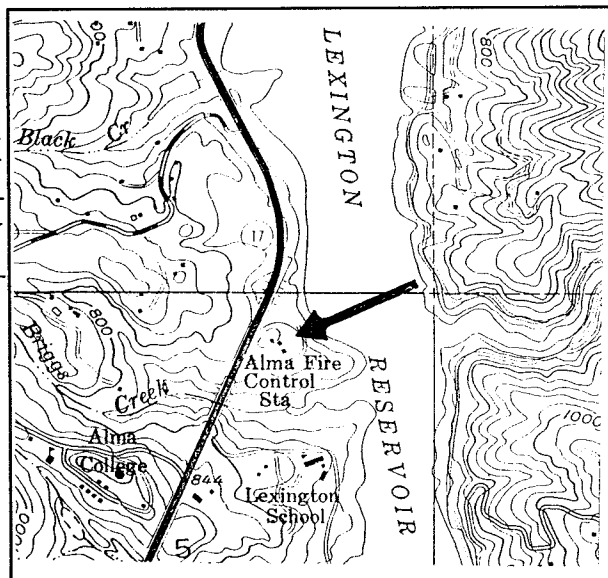
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Resource Identifier: Alma Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Alma Fire Control Station Equipment Garage

B2. Common Name: Alma Forest Fire Station Office/Apparatus Building

B3. Address: 19650 State Highway 17

City: Los Gatos

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95030

B4. Zoning: HS (hillside)

B5. Threats: none

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with fascia and addition

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

The garage was moved here in 1953, being the salvaged portion of a larger equipment building. The Alma garage was remodeled at time of the move. The building was doubled in size circa 1969, vehicle entry cut in rear wall, front wall removed. New siding installed circa 1981.

B8. Moved? ☐ No ☒ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: 1953 Original Location: Lexington Reservoir

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station group of buildings.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC program; revisions: CDF Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- state fire station, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1953 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

Based on property record information and the garage's footprint, the old Alma Ranger Unit Headquarters compound apparently included a USFS-CCC "N" series type building. It was identified as a six bay garage with warehouse. It was probably 32 feet wide and 85 feet long. With the construction of Lexington Reservoir the Alma headquarters site was abandoned and the combination truck garage and warehouse dismantled. Three bays ended up here and the other three bays ended up at the Stevens Creek Forest Fire Station. The Alma building was remodeled and doubled in size circa 1969 (reference CDF Plan 230). The building has experienced addition remodeling.

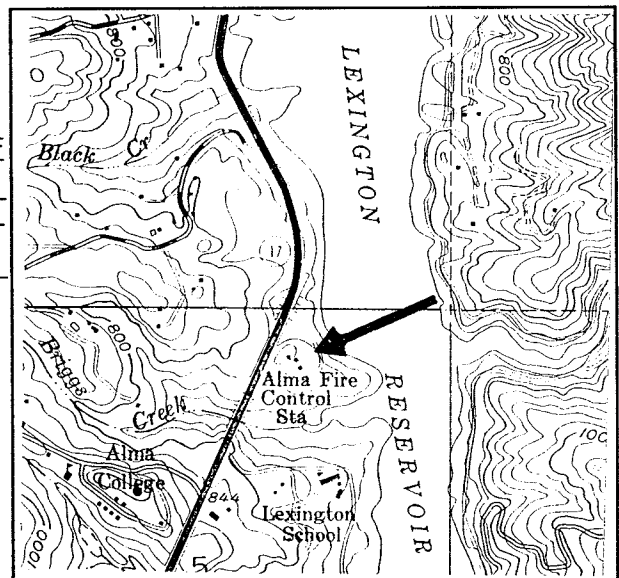
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Resource Identifier: Alma Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Alma Fire Control Station Gas & Oil House

B2. Common Name: Alma Forest Fire Station Gas & Oil House

B3. Address: 19650 State Highway 17

City: Los Gatos

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95030

B4. Zoning: HS (hillside)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with fascia

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

New siding and window, late 1970s (estimate).

B8. Moved? ☐ No ☒ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: 1953 Original Location: Lexington Reservoir

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station group of buildings.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC construction program

Builder: ECW-WPA

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP4, HP35 -- fire station service station, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1935 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

All four recorded Alma buildings were originally constructed by the WPA but were relocated to the present site by private contractors in 1953. The gas and oil house is the only unbalanced gable roof service station in the CDF building collection that dates from the CCC era. The building is probably based on one of the USFS-CCC "R" working plans. Despite some remodeling, it still retains a good degree of its historic character.

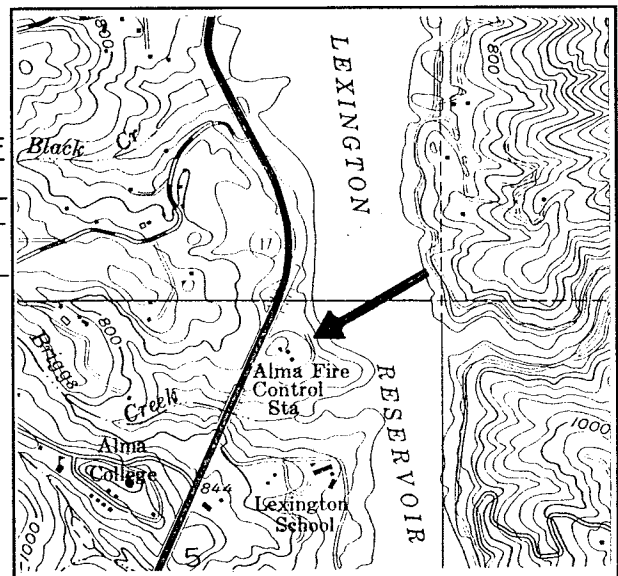
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NRHP Status Code 4S7

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Resource Identifier: Antelope Forest Fire Station

- P1. Location: a. County: San Benito and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 20400 Panoche Road (Road 98)  
City: Paicines Zip: 95043  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Panoche Pass (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1968 Zone: 10 mE: 676270 mN: 4056960  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APNs: 27-200-24, 27-200-25 and 27-200-26

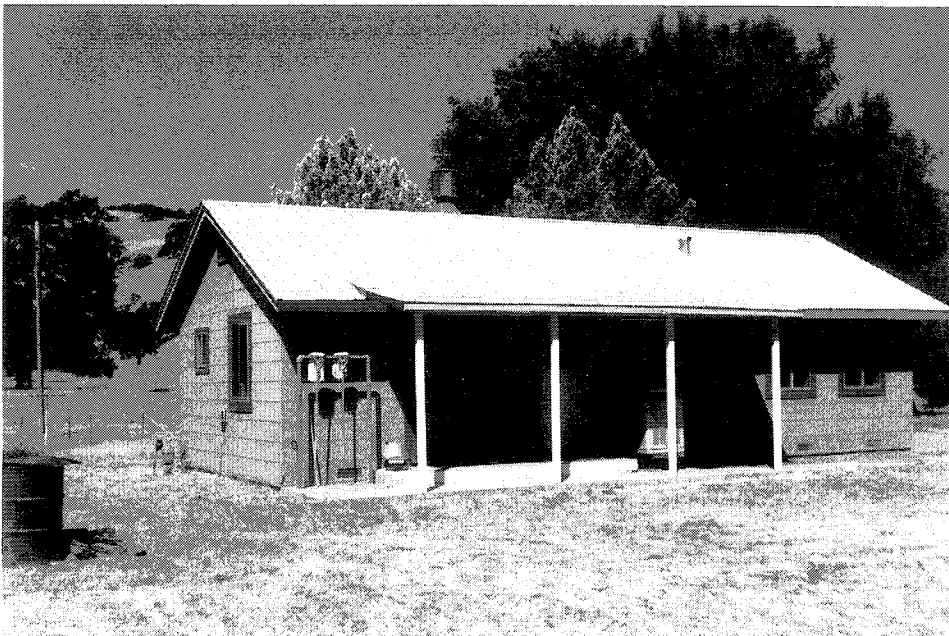
Legal: 2.52 (+) acres located in the Northwest 1/4 of Section 7 Township 15 South Range 9 East  
MDB&M.

- P2. Description: (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

The combination kitchen-messhall at this site was constructed in 1945. The 720 square foot building has a concrete perimeter foundation, asbestos cement tile siding, 1/1 aluminum frame windows predominate, enclosed eaves, and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. A small shed roof centered on the north gable end covers a 6 light/1 panel door. A shed roof supported by four wood posts covers a concrete slab porch and side entry on the east elevation. The southern door on this elevation has an outer aluminum frame screen door. The other door on this wall features a 6 light/1 panel design. A five panel utility door is on the west elevation. The wall to the left of this door has a 1/1/1 aluminum frame sliding window flanked on the left by two 1/1 aluminum frame sliders. Louvered attic vents are located in each gable end. A 1948 gas and oil house, a 1949 equipment garage, and a 1972 barracks are also located on the compound. Trees have been planted around the perimeter of the station compound with additional landscaping around the messhall and barracks buildings. A 1948 well pump house is about 200 feet to the north of the station. The station is on level ground. The surrounding area is predominate in oak woodland and open range.

- P3. Resources Present: ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

## P4. Photograph or Drawing (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



South and east elevations of the combination kitchen and messhall.

## P5. Date Constructed/Age:

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1945 (F)  
CDF Property Records

## P6. Owner and Address:

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

## P7. Recorded by:

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

## P8. Date Recorded:

June 29, 1994

## P9. Type of Survey:

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

Describe: building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations: (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

Attachments: ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☐ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
☐ Archaeological Record ☐ District Record ☐ Milling Station Record ☐ Rock Art Record ☐ Artifact Record ☐ Photograph Record  
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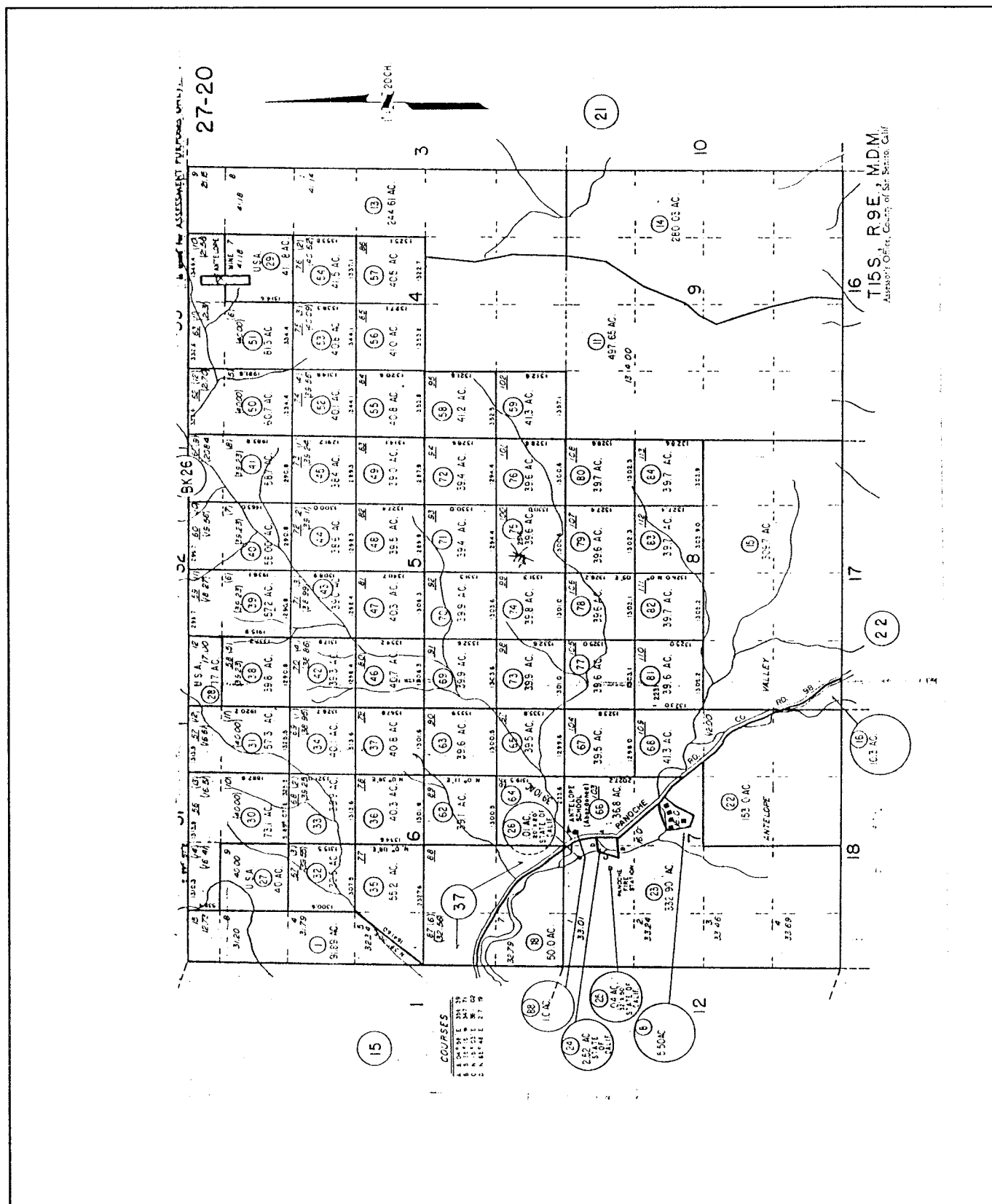
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### Trinomial

**Resource Identifier:** Antelope Forest Fire Station

**Map Name:** San Benito County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 27 Page 20 **Scale:** reduced scale **Date:** 1994





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Resource Identifier: Antelope Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Antelope Forest Fire Station Messhall

B2. Common Name: Antelope Forest Fire Station Messhall

B3. Address: 20400 Panoche Road

City: Paicines

County: San Benito

Zip: 95043

B4. Zoning: AR (agricultural rangeland - 40 acre minimum)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: California Ranch

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Building re-sided, new windows, new roofing, other remodeling, 1970s (estimate).

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station compound.

B10. Architect: State Division of Architect

Builder: CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9 -- state fire station

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1945 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

This is one of three similar combination kitchen and messhall buildings in the CDF building collection that were constructed during the war years after the close of the ECW programs. The Antelope building is longer than the other two. A porch was added circa 1958 and asbestos cement tiles installed on the exterior walls in 1960. There have been other revisions. The site was initially known as the Panoche Fire Control Station. Working plans were probably prepared by the State Division of Architect for CDF. The design is similar to USFS-CCC "D" series plans.

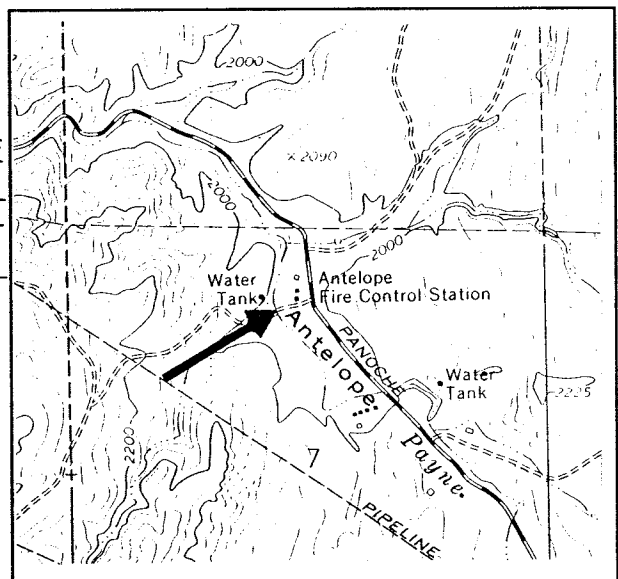
B13. References: *A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF Building Inventory. "S-5 Inventory/Photo Album,"* CDF Technical Services, Sacramento and Fresno. Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

Affiliation/Address: California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

B15. Date of Evaluation: November 1994

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Resource Identifier: Carmel Hill Forest Fire Station

- P1. Location:** a. County: Monterey and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 23685 W. R. Holman Highway  
City: Monterey Zip: 93940  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Monterey (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1947 (Rev. 1968) Zone: 10 mE: 597240 mN: 4048470  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APN: 8-132-06

Legal: 2.5 acres located in the Southeast 1/4 of Section 36 Township 15 South Range 1 West  
MDB&M.

- P2. Description:** (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

Two of the adobe brick buildings at this site were erected in 1943-44. The 3,624 square foot combination barracks is a single story building with a concrete slab foundation, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows predominate, open eaves, and wood shingle roofing. The original building consists of a symmetrical front facing "U" floor plan with a 20' x 12' rear hipped wing opposite the front left wing. Recessed under the roof of the rear wing is an 11' x 8' screened porch. The front wings are hipped and the connecting wing has a gable on hip design. The small gables are on the ridges of the front wings and serve as louvered attic vents. Inset in the "U" and recessed under the principal roof (of the central wing) is a 15.5' x 8' stone patio. The front door is off-set to the left end of this patio area. Two wood posts with matching pilasters on the front wings support the roof overhang. The balance of the space between the two front wings has an uncovered 20.5' x 15.5' concrete patio. Spanning the distance between the front wings in front of the patio is a six foot tall wood fence. A wood fence has also been erected in front of the right front wing's centered entry door. Circa 1980 a 16' x 20' concrete block hipped wing was constructed on the north elevation and a 12' x 25' concrete block right rear wing was also added. A covered breezeway on the south elevation connects the combination barracks to the equipment garage. (See continuation page)

- P3. Resources Present:** ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

**P4. Photograph or Drawing** (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



Southwestern (front) elevation of the combination barracks.

**P5. Date Constructed/Age:**

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1943 - 1944 & 1948 (F)  
CDF Property Records

**P6. Owner and Address:**

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

**P7. Recorded by:**

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

**P8. Date Recorded:**

March 28, 1994

**P9. Type of Survey:**

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

**Describe:** building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations:** (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

**Attachments:** ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☒ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
☐ Archaeological Record ☐ District Record ☐ Milling Station Record ☐ Rock Art Record ☐ Artifact Record ☐ Photograph Record  
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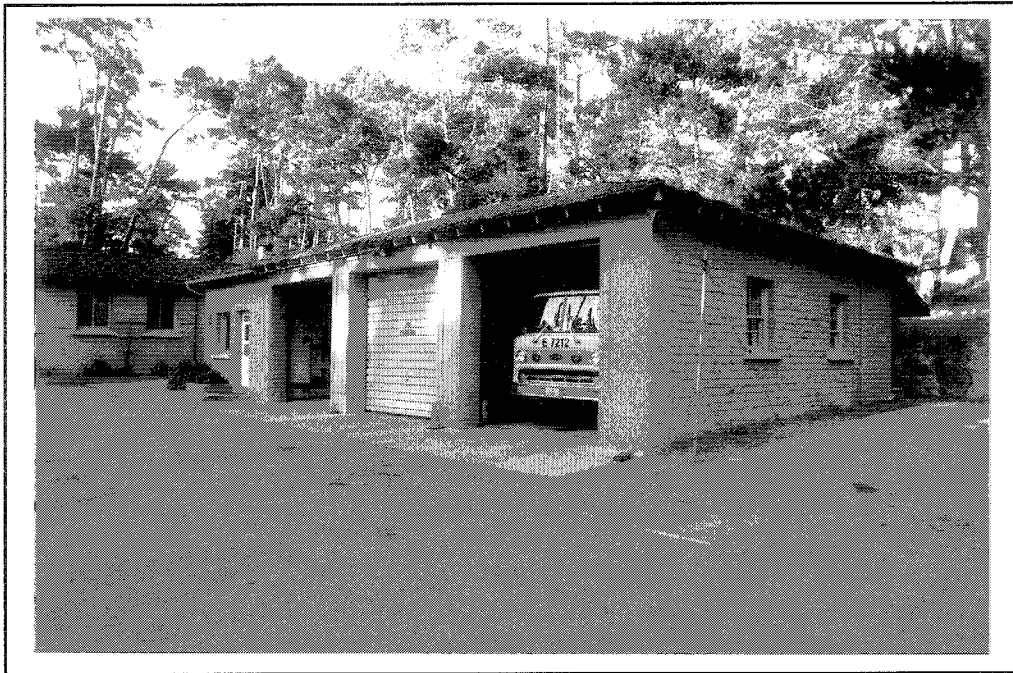
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Under the breezeway roof is a 6' x 6.5' utility closet addition. An extended shed roof covers a 6' x 6' concrete patio on the east side of the utility closet. A brick chimney is located eave side in the inset between the rear elevation of the "U" with the rear porch wing.

The 1,664 square foot equipment garage is a single story rectangular building with hip roof. It has a concrete slab foundation, open eaves, and wood shingle roofing. Windows are a mixture of original vintage 4/4 wood frame double hung types and 1/1 aluminum frame sliders (sills are cement). The north end of the building serves as an office. The three vehicle stall entries have overhead sectional doors. Bay jambs are of poured concrete with decorative rectangular inset panels. A dropped shed roof on the rear elevation covers a standby generator.

The gas and oil house is a 260 square foot rectangular building with a concrete slab foundation, open eaves, and wood shingles over a "saltbox" gable roof. The building consists of a 12' x 10' north room and a 14' x 10' south room. The rooms may be of different ages, with the oldest section dating from 1948. The east slope of the roof extends over a row of wood frame lockers. These tool lockers have been attached to the rear elevation of the building. The west slope overhangs the fuel pump island. The gable side entry for the north room has a single 5 panel door while the south room has double doors of the same design. A 4 light window is on the south gable end, three 4 light and two 6 light windows are located on the east elevation (covered by the added tool lockers). The fire station buildings are located on level ground which lies between a small hillside on the east and the Holman Highway on the west. The east and north ends of the property slope uphill, with a large upper level parking area located just north of the combination barracks. Landscaping of shrubs, pine and eucalyptus trees cover the site. A small lawn is on the north side of the barracks.



West and south elevations of the three bay equipment garage.

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Front elevation of the gas and oil house.

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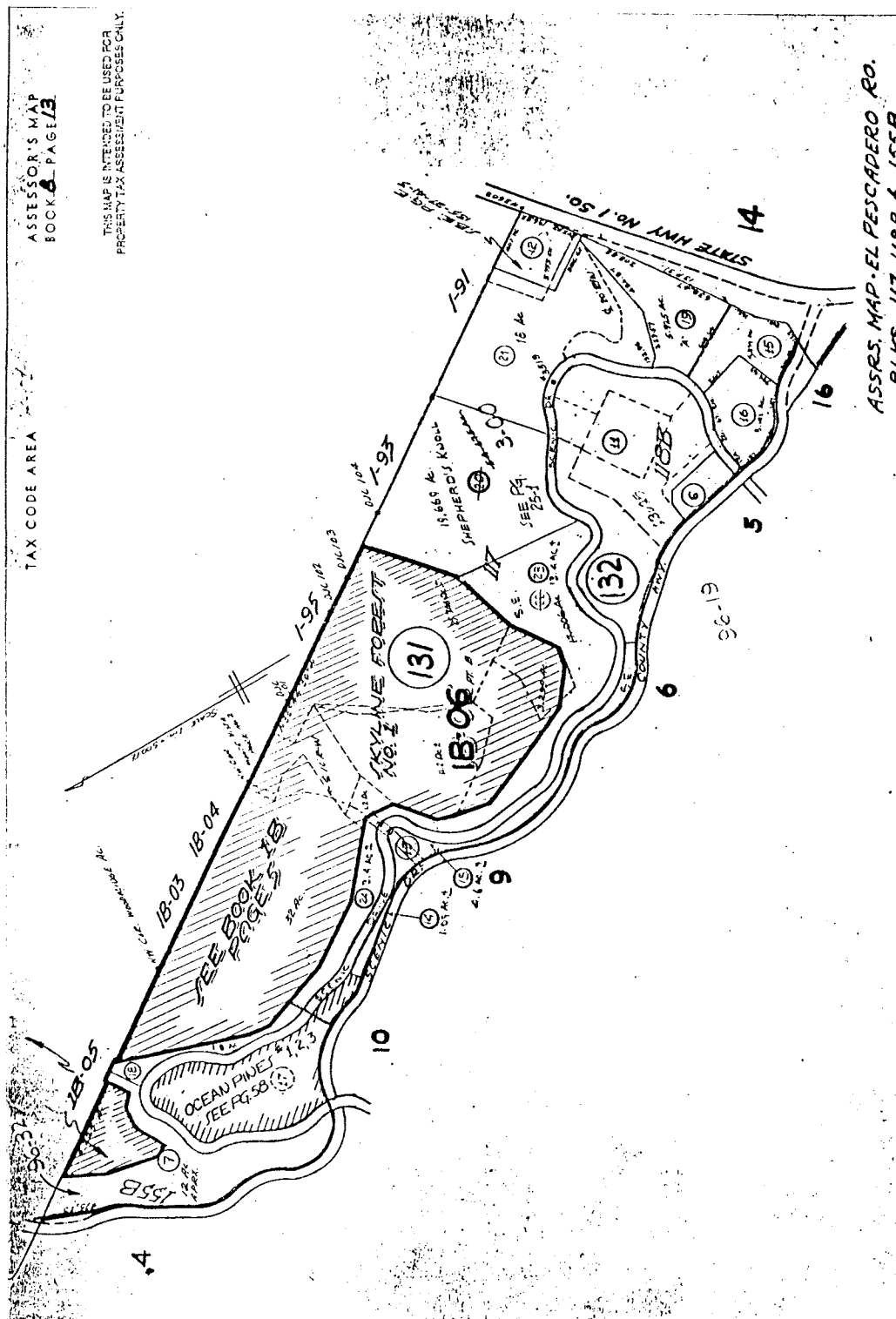
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Map Name: Monterey County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 8 Page 13 Scale: reduced scale Date: 1994



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Resource Identifier: Carmel Hill Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Carmel Fire Control Station Combination Barracks

B2. Common Name: Carmel Hill Forest Fire Station

B3. Address: 23685 W. R. Holman Highway

City: Monterey

County: Monterey

Zip: 93940

B4. Zoning: PS (public service)

B5. Threats: planned demolition

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Most of the casements are original but windows have been replaced. A door was installed in the gable end of right front wing. North and east wings added, remodeling around front entry with addition of office on left front wing, concrete patio and fencing added, breezeway roof and utility closet added, circa 1980.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Equipment Garage, Gas & Oil House.

B10. Architect: State Division of Architect

Builder: CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP44 -- state fire station, adobe building

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1943 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

This is the only adobe combination barracks in the CDF building collection that appears to be based on the USFS-CCC "D-11" working plan series. The D-11 was for wood frame buildings and featured a four-gabled roof. Wood frame variations of the D-11 have been recorded at five CDF sites. These wood frame examples all have hip roofs and the same general footprint that the Carmel building has. The revisions and enlargements have adversely effected the historic architectural integrity of this combination barracks. It still has, however, retained a moderate degree of its historic character.

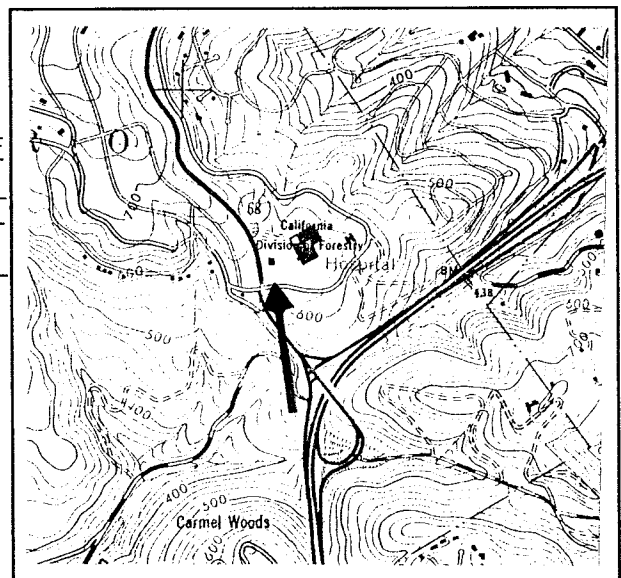
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Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

Affiliation/Address: California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

B15. Date of Evaluation: November 1994

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Resource Identifier: Carmel Hill Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Carmel Fire Control Station Equipment Garage

B2. Common Name: Carmel Hill Forest Fire Station Office/Apparatus Building

B3. Address: 23685 W. R. Holman Highway

City: Monterey

County: Monterey

Zip: 93940

B4. Zoning: PS (public service)

B5. Threats: planned demolition

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Original bay doors replaced, date unknown. Breezeway roof to combination barracks added, some windows replaced circa 1979. New concrete for truck bay floors, 1980-81.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Combination barracks, gas and oil house.

B10. Architect: State Division of Architect

Builder: CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP44 -- state fire station, adobe building

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1943 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

This combination storeroom and three bay garage is similar to the Hammond Forest Fire Station garage and storeroom. The subject building nonetheless has significant differences. Disparities include the fenestration, the hip roof, and the exterior wall finish. The Carmel garage has undergone some minor revisions since its original construction but still retains much of its historic architectural character.

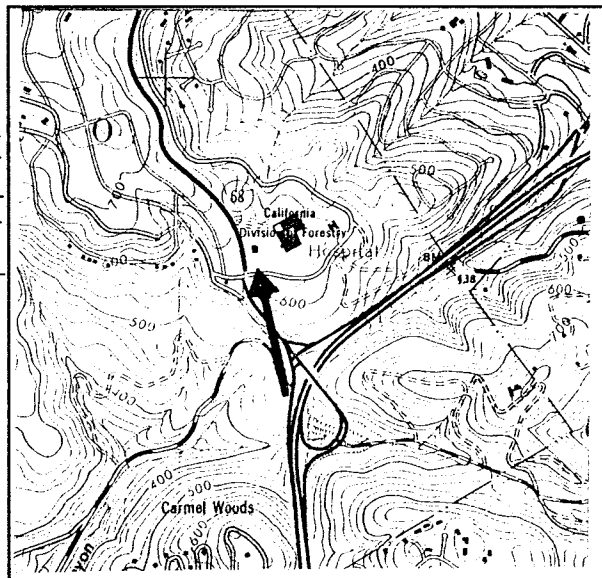
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B1. Historic Name: Carmel Fire Control Station Gas & Oil House

B2. Common Name: Carmel Hill Forest Fire Station Gas & Oil House

B3. Address: 23685 W. R. Holman Highway

City: Monterey

County: Monterey

Zip: 93940

B4. Zoning: PS (public service)

B5. Threats: planned demolition

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

A tool locker addition of unknown vintage has been added to the rear elevation.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Combination barracks, equipment garage

B10. Architect: unknown

Builder: CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP4, HP44 -- fire station service station, adobe building

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1948 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The building may consist of two units of differing age. Site map for the compound shows both sections in place by 1953. This is one of three adobe gas and oil houses recorded for this project. All three buildings have different floor plans.

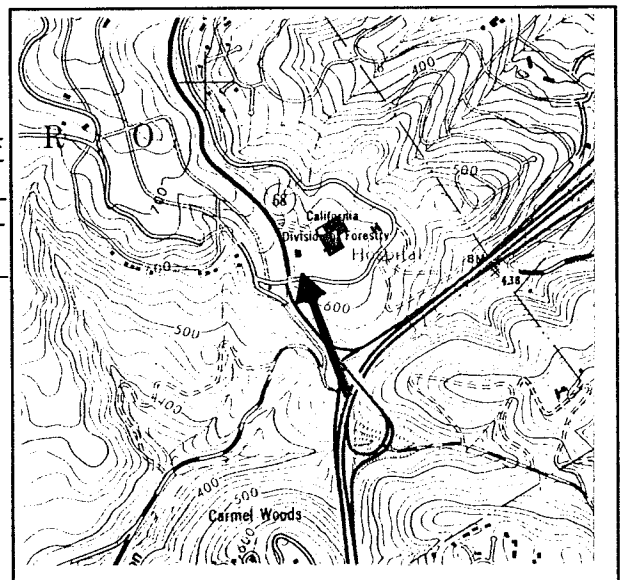
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Resource Identifier: Felton Ranger Unit Headquarters

P1. Location: a. County: Santa Cruz and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 6059 State Highway 9  
City: Felton Zip: 95018  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Felton (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1955 (Rev. 1980) Zone: 10 mE: 582440 mN: 4100500  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

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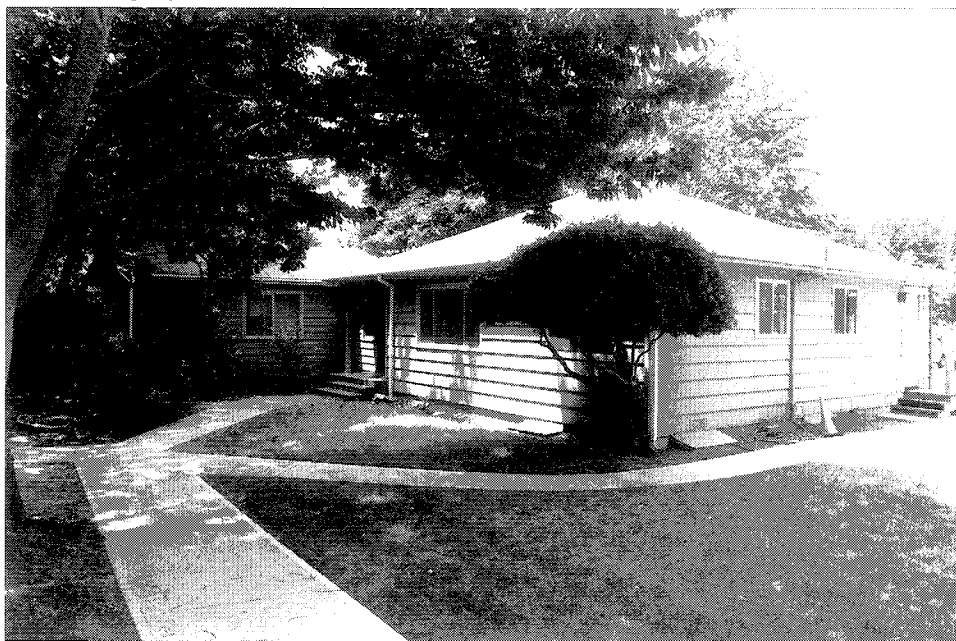
Legal: 2.6+ acres located in the West 1/2 of Section 22 Township 10 South Range 2 West MDB&M.

P2. Description: (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

There are two buildings here which date from the CCC era. The former ranger's residence is a 1,677 square foot wood frame building erected in 1935. The residence now serves as an office building. It has a concrete perimeter foundation, lapboard siding, boxed eaves, and asphalt composition shingles over a hip roof with gable front wing. The house also has 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, and a combination of 1/1 and 1/1/1 metal frame casement windows. There is one 4 light wood frame window located at the north end of the west elevation to the right of which is a 1/1 sash window. The front door is located on a diagonal wall at the north end of the entry porch. The porch is recessed under the principal roof. The porch wall between the front door and a 6 light casement window to the left is covered with "v" rustic siding (arranged vertically). The gable front wing (added circa 1960) is at the south end of the east elevation. A louvered attic vent is centered in the "v" rustic clad gable. A 34' x 11' bay (under the principal roof) is on the north end of the west elevation. An internally accessed 14' x 16.5' poured concrete basement underlies the north end of the house. A brick chimney is situated on the north slope of the principal roof. The 2,752 square foot equipment garage was constructed in 1935. It has a concrete slab foundation, boxed eaves, and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. (See continuation page)

P3. Resources Present: ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

P4. Photograph or Drawing (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



Northeast side of the former ranger's residence (forest practices office).

P5. Date Constructed/Age:

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1935 & 1935 (F)  
CDF Property Records

P6. Owner and Address:

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

P7. Recorded by:

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

P8. Date Recorded:

June 24, 1994

P9. Type of Survey:

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

Describe: building survey  
and historical assessment

P10. Report Citations: (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

Attachments: ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☒ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
☐ Archaeological Record ☐ District Record ☐ Milling Station Record ☐ Rock Art Record ☐ Artifact Record ☐ Photograph Record  
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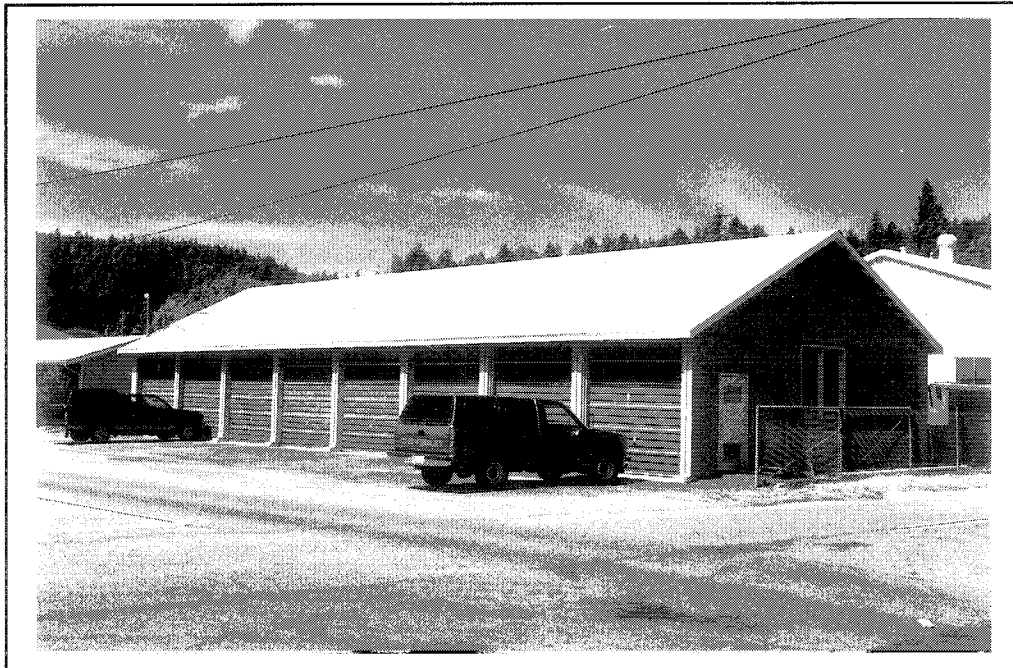
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The equipment garage is a rectangular wood frame building with a 7' x 19.5' extended shed roof addition on the rear elevation. Plywood panel siding is on the north and east elevations of the garage with 10" "v" rustic siding on the south elevation and on most of the rear addition. The vehicle stall entries are on the east elevation and have overhead sectional fiberglass doors. Three panel "chevron" louvered attic vents are center at the apex in each gable. Channel siding covers each gable. Centered on each gable end are 15/15 wood frame windows. A row of five 6/6/6 wood frame (fixed and hopper) windows are across the rear (west) elevation with a 6 light window at the north end of this row.

The headquarters station is located on two parcels separated by Gushee Street. Along with the former ranger's residence the front parcel has a 1967 administration office (on the site of the original 1935 ranger's office), a 1979 emergency command center, and a 1990 Radio Vault. This parcel faces State Highway 9 and is landscaped with lawns, flowering plants, shrubs, and trees. The parcel with the equipment garage has a 1949 walk-in cooler (converted to storage shed), a 1951 steel frame auto shop, a 1962 steel frame service center, a 1963 barracks (enlarged and converted to a combination barracks), a 1963 messhall (converted to classroom), a 1991 combination office and apparatus building, and a 1991 fire station warehouse. The area around the combination barracks and classroom has been landscaped.



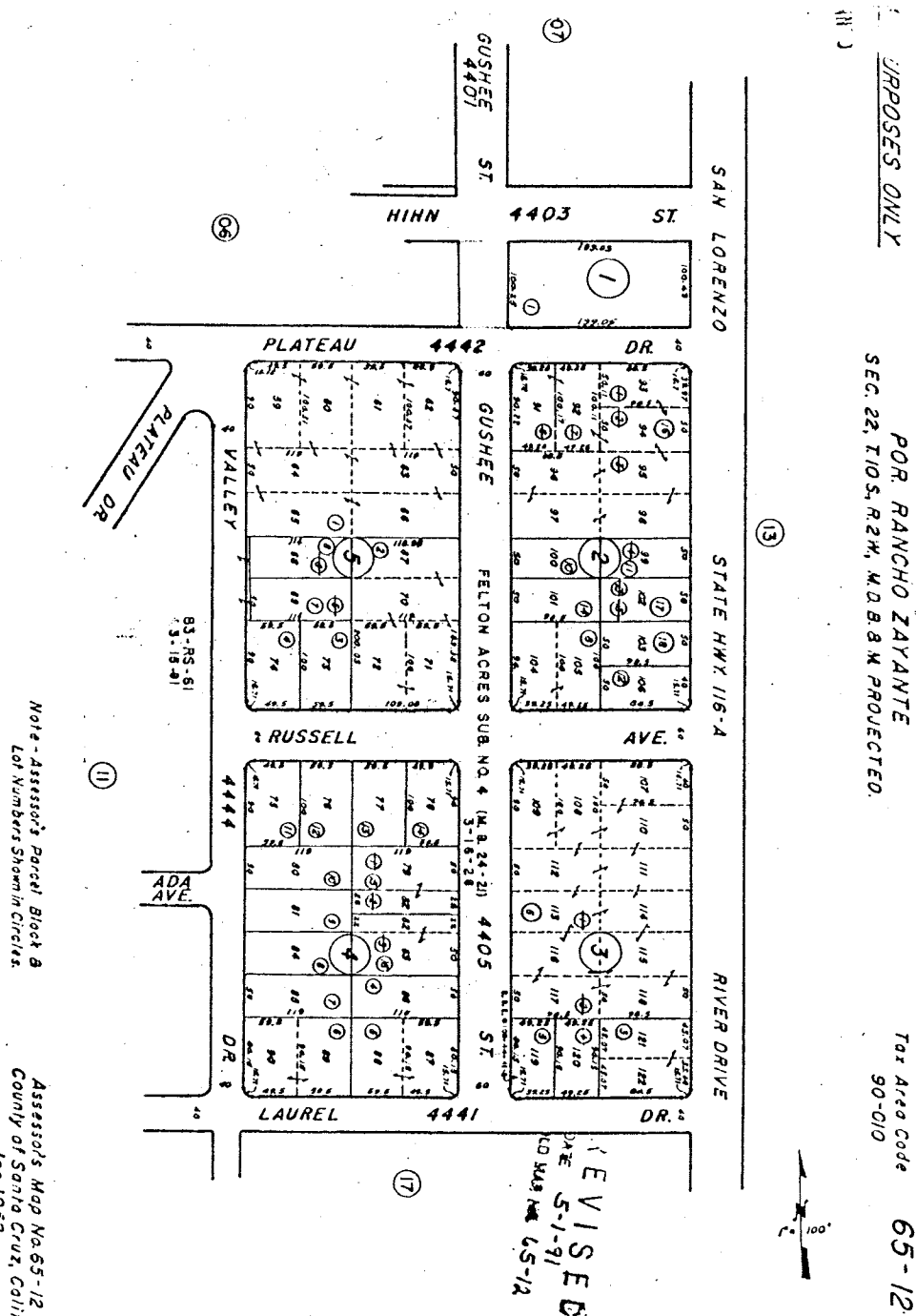
East and north elevations of the eight bay equipment garage.

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**Map Name:** Santa Cruz County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 65 Page 12 **Scale:** reduced scale **Date:** 1994



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Resource Identifier: Felton Ranger Unit Headquarters

B1. Historic Name: Felton Ranger Unit Headquarters Ranger's Residence

B2. Common Name: Felton Ranger Unit Headquarters State Residence/Forestry Office

B3. Address: 6059 State Highway 9

City: Felton County: Santa Cruz Zip: 95018

B4. Zoning: PF (public/community facility) B5. Threats: none

B6. Architectural Style: California Ranch

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

The house was remodeled and bedroom wing added circa 1960 (new siding, new windows, etc. - fenestration may have been significantly altered at this time). Additional remodeling 1984-85 with conversion from residence to office.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a ranger unit complex of buildings

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC program; revisions: CDF Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP2, HP35 -- former ranger's residence, WPA/CCC property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1935 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The building's original footprint suggests that it was patterned after the USFS-CCC "A-14" residence design. However, the building's hip roof, siding, and general appearance set it apart from the standard fair of A-14 treatments. These differences probably represent the results of later remodeling. A bedroom wing was added circa 1960 (reference CDF Plan AA-162). The last significant revisions took place circa 1985. The building serves as an office today.

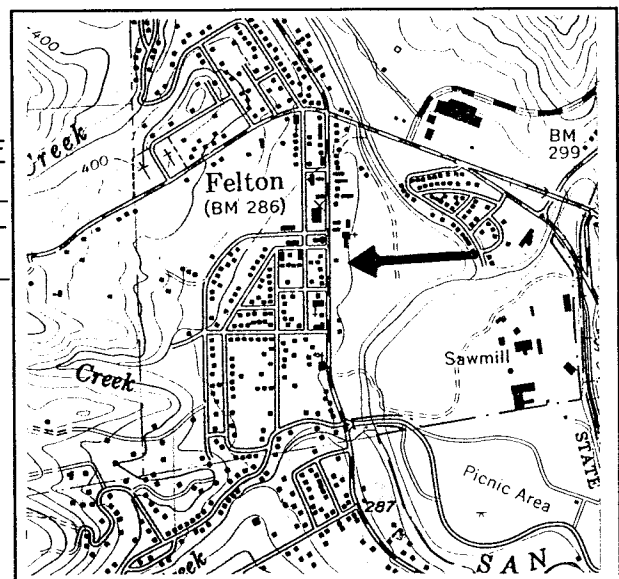
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Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

Affiliation/Address: California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

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Resource Identifier: Felton Ranger Unit Headquarters

B1. Historic Name: Felton Ranger Unit Headquarters 8-Bay Equipment Shed

B2. Common Name: Felton or Santa Cruz-San Mateo Ranger Unit Headquarters 8-Bay Equipment Garage

B3. Address: 6059 State Highway 9

City: Felton

County: Santa Cruz

Zip: 95018

B4. Zoning: PF (public/community facility)

B5. Threats: entropy

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with boxed eaves

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Garage doors replaced, mid-1960s (estimate). Most of the siding has been replaced, mid-1980s. Newer roofing, date unknown.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a ranger unit complex of buildings

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC construction program Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- ranger station truck garage, WPA/CCC property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1935 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The Fortuna Ranger Unit Headquarters seven bay truck garage and the Felton eight bay truck garage are a good example of where the same 32' x 85' footprint can have a different floor plan. In Fortuna, the seven vehicle stalls are flanked by matching storerooms at each gable end. In the subject building, the configuration is eight vehicle bays with a 7' x 19.5' storage room addition on the rear. Another variation are the Santa Rosa Ranger Unit Headquarters and Nevada City Forest Fire Station truck garages which features six stalls flanked at each end with larger storerooms than the Fortuna building. The Felton truck garage has undergone some revisions since its original construction. The building, though, still retains much of its historic architectural character.

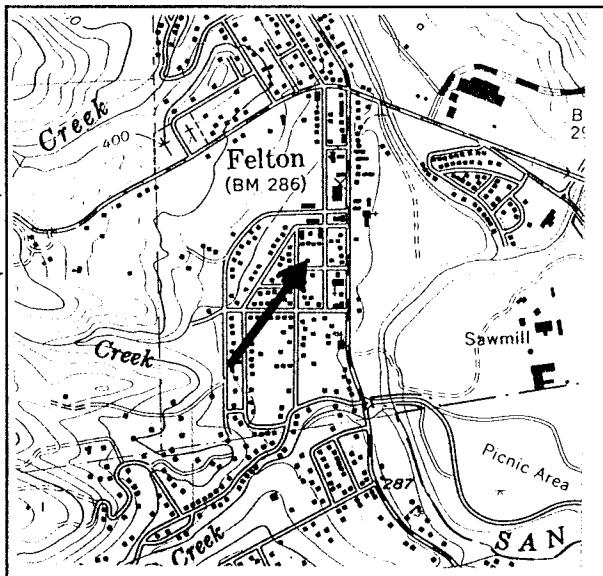
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Resource Identifier: King City Forest Fire Station

- P1. Location: a. County: Monterey and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 743 Reich Street  
City: King City Zip: 93930  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Thompson Canyon (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1949 (Rev. 1979) Zone: 10 mE: 668200 mN: 4008200  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APN: 26-054-03

Legal: 3 acres located in the North 1/2 of Section 8 Township 20 South Range 8 East MDB&M.

- P2. Description: (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

Included on this former ranger unit headquarters compound is a 1936 ranger's residence (remodeled circa 1953) and a 1937 equipment garage. The 1,634 square foot ranger's residence has a concrete perimeter foundation, plywood panel siding, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, fascia, and asphalt composition shingles over a cross-gabled roof. The building has a compound floor plan with an asymmetrical front facing "U" design. Inset in the "U" under the principal roof is a 6' x 11' concrete front porch. On the gable end of the 19' wide left front wing is a 9' x 16' gabled bay. On the gable end of the 25.5' wide right front wing is a 3' x 9' gabled bay. The left front wing has a rear small hip on the ridge of the principal roof. The right front wing has a rear gabled wing with back door. Offset to the right end of this rear gable is a 7.5' x 14' gabled bay. Centered on the bay is a gable end stone chimney. An extended shed roof runs gable side along the northern elevation of the rear bay and rear wing. The roof covers an enclosed rear entry porch. A cantilevered shed roof covers the back door. The back yard is enclosed by a five foot high wood fence. To the southeast, on the outside of the fence is a 1963 residence garage. The seven bay equipment garage is a single story wood frame rectangular building with a 10' x 12 shed roof covered tool room located near the western end of the rear elevation. (See continuation page)

- P3. Resources Present: ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

## P4. Photograph or Drawing (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



West and south elevations of the former ranger's residence (office).

## P5. Date Constructed/Age:

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1936, 1937 & 1937-50 (F)  
CDF Property Records

## P6. Owner and Address:

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## P7. Recorded by:

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## P8. Date Recorded:

March 28, 1994

## P9. Type of Survey:

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

Describe: building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations: (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
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Attachments: ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☒ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
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The 2,199 square foot building has a concrete slab foundation (concrete perimeter for the tool room), "v" rustic siding, plain fascia, and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. Rectangular single panel louvered vents are centered in each gable. The vehicle bay entries have the original cross-diagonal board overhead doors. A "v" rustic (vertically arranged) clad door is integrated into the east end bay door. Centered on the west gable end is a 5 panel door flanked by a single wood frame window on each side (original 4 light converted to 1 pane). The east gable end has four single pane wood frame windows symmetrically arranged across this elevation. A single batten runs between each window. A row of single pane wood frame windows is across the south elevation. One window is to the right of the tool room, seven windows are equally spaced to the left of the tool room with a single batten in between each one. A row of six common casement windows fills the balance of the wall at the east end. The tool room has 4 light wood frame windows on the east and west walls with a 3 panel door centered on the south side.

The property records are somewhat vague but the original 1937 office at this site was either replaced or substantially rebuilt in 1950. It was remodeled and enlarged again circa 1972. The 2,457 square foot building has a concrete perimeter foundation, plywood panel siding, open eaves, and asphalt composition shingles over a cross-gabled roof. Louvered attic vents are centered in each of the four gables. The building has a rear facing "U" floor plan. A combination of 1/1 aluminum frame sliders and 1/1 aluminum frame single hung windows are on the front wall. A full width extended shed roof covers a 6.5' x 63' concrete slab entry porch on this elevation. The porch roof is supported by six chamfered posts that have capitals. On the south gable end of the front wing is a gable roof covered side entrance. The side entrance roof is supported by two chamfered posts that have capitals. Centered on the north gable end of the front wing are three 1/1 aluminum frame sash windows. The rear wings have a combination of 1/1 aluminum frame sliders and 1/1 aluminum frame single hung windows. Shed roof covered side entrances are located gable side on the north and south elevations of the north rear wing. A rear entry porch is recessed under the northeast corner of the south rear wing. A shed roof covered utility closet is inset in the "U" on the rear elevation of the front wing. A concrete patio fills the area between the rear wings.

A 1950 Warehouse, a 1950 combination office and apparatus building, a 1966 gas and oil house, a 1968 barracks, a 1968 combination office and messhall, and a 1993 generator house are also at this site. The compound is on level ground within the town limits of King City. The station grounds have been landscaped with lawns, flowering plants, shrubs and trees. Large paved areas are around the service buildings.



North and west elevations of the seven bay equipment garage.

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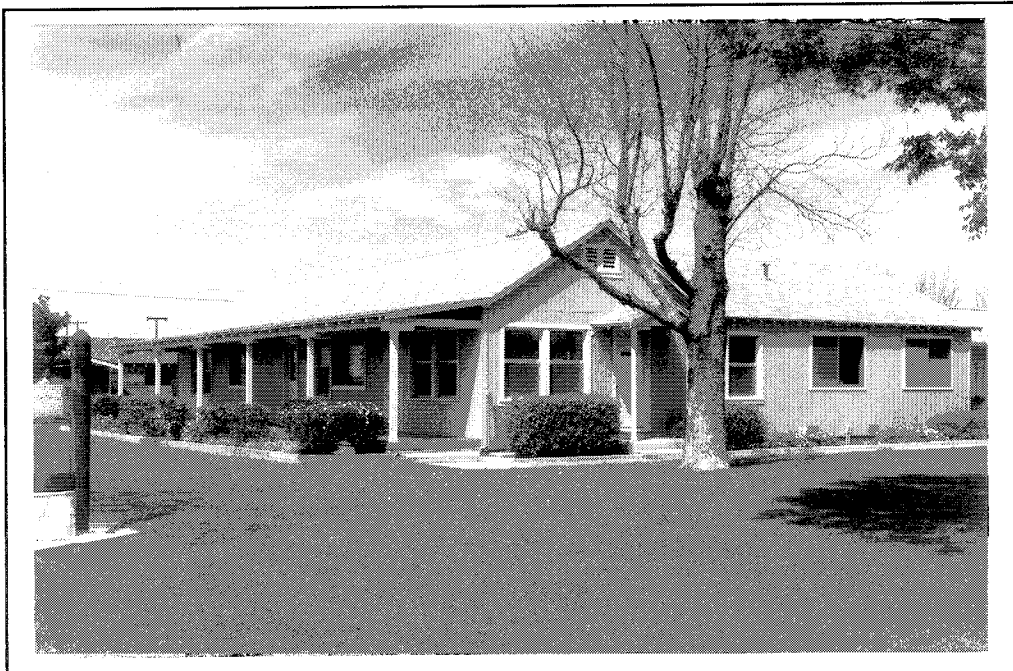
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West and south elevations of the administration office.

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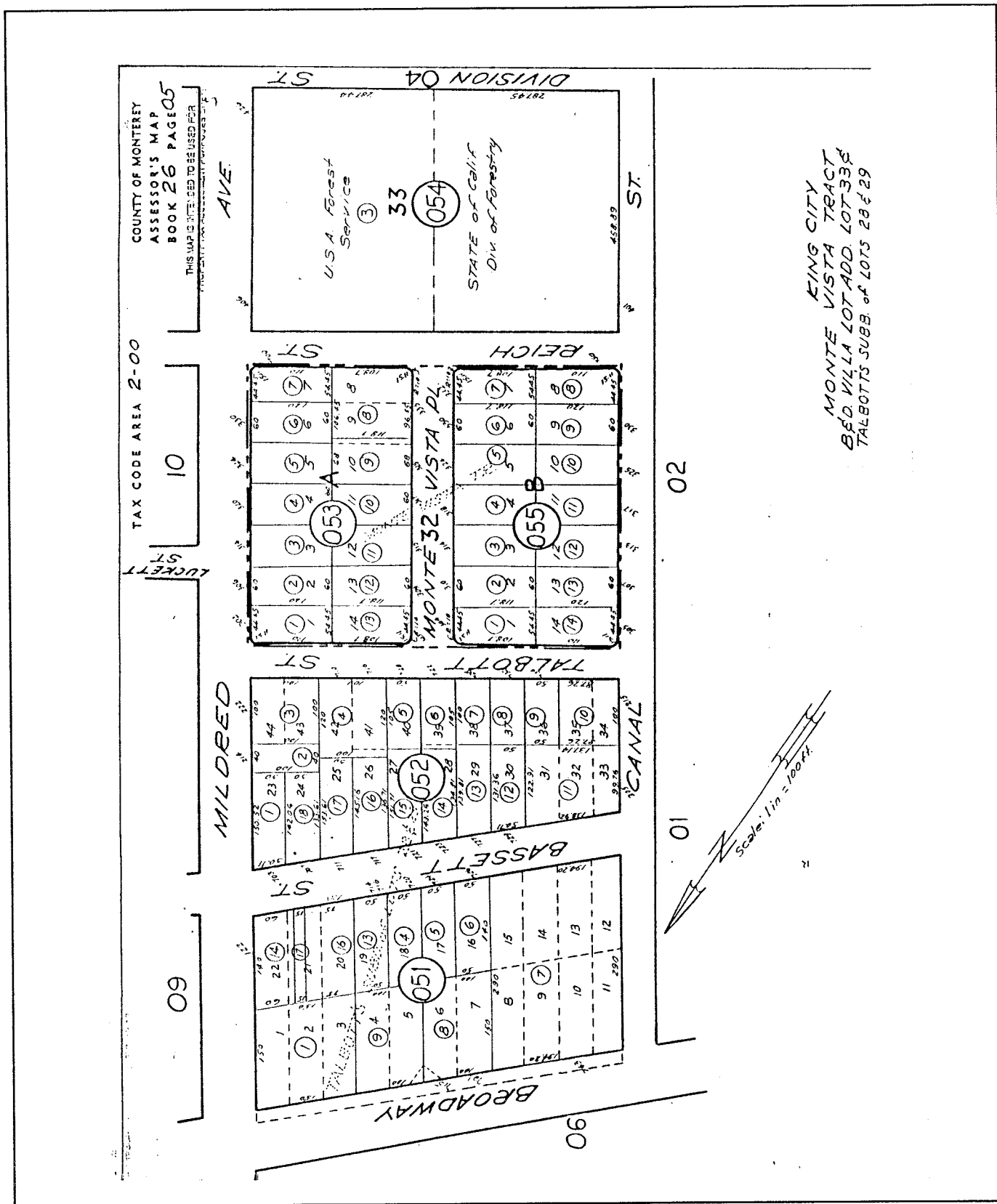
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B1. Historic Name: King City Ranger Unit Headquarters Ranger's Residence

B2. Common Name: King City Forest Fire Station State Residence-Office

B3. Address: 401 Canal Street

City: King City County: Monterey Zip: 93930

B4. Zoning: \_\_\_\_\_ B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Transitional California Ranch

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Building was remodeled and enlarged circa 1950. New siding, windows roofing 1980s (estimate).  
Residence has been converted for use as an office building.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station complex of buildings.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC program; revisions: CDF Builder: ECW/WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP2, HP35 – former ranger's residence, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1936 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The house was enlarged and remodeled circa 1953 (reference CDF Plan AA-1820). Site plans suggest the building has been remodeled on several occasions. The original house was based on a variation of one of the USFS-CCC "A-14" series plans. Because of the revisions the building has lost a lot of its historic architectural integrity. As it is today, this is the only house of this design in the pre-1946 CDF property inventory.

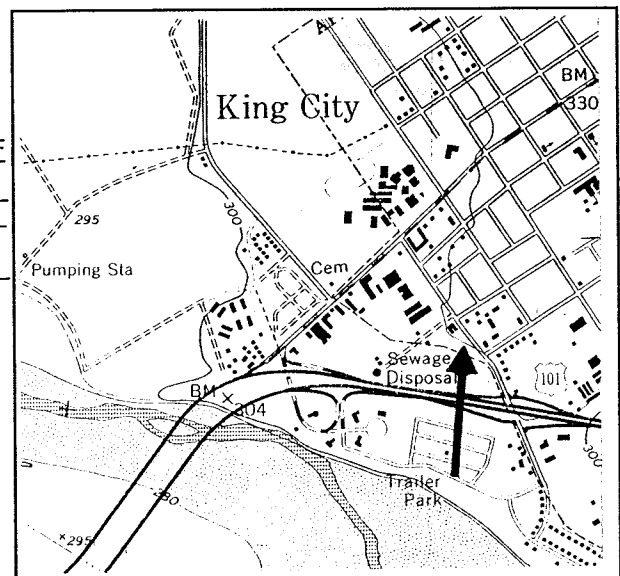
B13. References: *A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF Building Inventory*. "S-5 Inventory/Photo Album," CDF Technical Services, Sacramento and Fresno.  
Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

Affiliation/Address: California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

B15. Date of Evaluation: November 1994

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Resource Identifier: King City Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: King City Ranger Unit Headquarters 7-Bay Equipment Garage

B2. Common Name: King City Forest Fire Station 7-Bay Equipment Garage

B3. Address: 401 Canal Street

City: King City County: Monterey Zip: 93930

B4. Zoning: \_\_\_\_\_ B5. Threats: entropy

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with fascia

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Divided light windows converted to single pane, newer roofing, date(s) unknown.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station complex of buildings.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC construction program Builder: ECW/WPA

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- ranger station truck garage, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1937 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

This is the last remaining example of either a USFS-CCC "N" or "L" series equipment shed (over four bays) to have the original overhead garage doors. The building is also the only 27' x 77' truck garage to date from the CCC era in the CDF building collection. A 10' x 12' shed roof addition was constructed on the rear elevation a number of years ago. The building has experienced few other changes since its original construction.

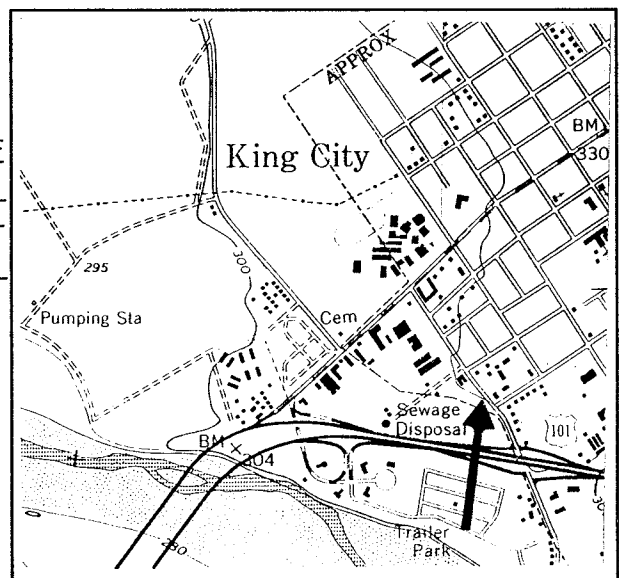
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Resource Identifier: King City Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: King City Ranger Unit Headquarters Office

B2. Common Name: King City Forest Fire Station Office and Emergency Command Center

B3. Address: 401 Canal Street

City: King City County: Monterey Zip: 93930

B4. Zoning: \_\_\_\_\_ B5. Threats: none

B6. Architectural Style: California Ranch

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

The original building was either rebuilt or replaced circa 1950. A dispatcher's wing was added circa 1973. Newer siding, windows, and roofing, date(s) unknown.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station complex of buildings.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CDF Builder: ECW/WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP14, HP35 – government office, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1937 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The S-5 Forms for this site are somewhat contradictory but the original CCC era office building was either replaced or rebuilt in 1950. The building has been remodeled on several occasions since then. An addition was constructed circa 1973 (reference CDF Plan 722-3B).

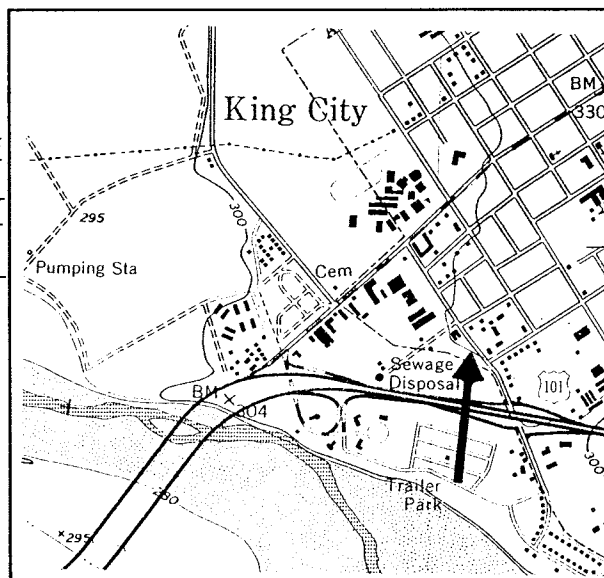
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Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

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B15. Date of Evaluation: November 1994

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Resource Identifier: Pacheco Forest Fire Station

- P1. Location:** a. County: Santa Clara and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 12280 Pacheco Pas Highway (State Route 152)  
City: Hollister Zip: 95023  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Pacheco Peak (x 7.5' \_\_\_ 15') Date: 1955 (Rev. 1971) Zone: 10 mE: 647120 mN: 4097400  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APN: a portion of 898-330-01

Legal: located in the Northeast 1/4 of Section 6 Township 11 South Range 6 East MDB&M.

- P2. Description:** (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

The 2,157 square foot combination barracks at this station was constructed circa 1942. The single story wood frame building has a concrete perimeter foundation, plywood panel siding, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, boxed eaves, and asphalt composition shingles over a hip roof with gable rear wings. The building has a symmetrical "U" floor plan. An extended shed roof centered on the south elevation covers a 7' x 28'5" concrete front porch. The porch roof is supported by five chamfered wood posts. A side entry is on the east elevation of the right rear wing. Inset in the "U" at the corner junction of the left rear wing with the front wing is a rear entry. An extended shed roof from the north slope of the front wing covers this rear entry. To the east is a north wall utility door. Landscaping of lawn, shrubs, and trees has been put in around the combination barracks. To the east is a 1961 "v" rustic clad well pump house. To the west is a 1953 "v" rustic clad combination two bay equipment garage and storeroom, and a "v" rustic clad one-pump gas and oil house. State Highway 152 runs across the front of the property. The surrounding area is covered with a mixture of oak woodland, open range, and brush.

- P3. Resources Present:** ☒ Building \_\_\_ Structure \_\_\_ Object \_\_\_ Site \_\_\_ District \_\_\_ Element of District

**P4. Photograph or Drawing** (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



West and south elevations of the combination barracks.

**P5. Date Constructed/Age:**

\_\_\_ Prehistoric ☒ Historic \_\_\_ Both

1942 (F)

CDF Property Records

**P6. Owner and Address:**

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

**P7. Recorded by:**

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

**P8. Date Recorded:**

March 29, 1994

**P9. Type of Survey:**

☒ Intensive

\_\_\_ Reconnaissance \_\_\_ Other

**Describe:** building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations:** (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

**Attachments:** \_\_\_ NONE ☒ Location Map \_\_\_ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record \_\_\_ Linear Resource Record  
\_\_\_ Archaeological Record \_\_\_ District Record \_\_\_ Milling Station Record \_\_\_ Rock Art Record \_\_\_ Artifact Record \_\_\_ Photograph Record  
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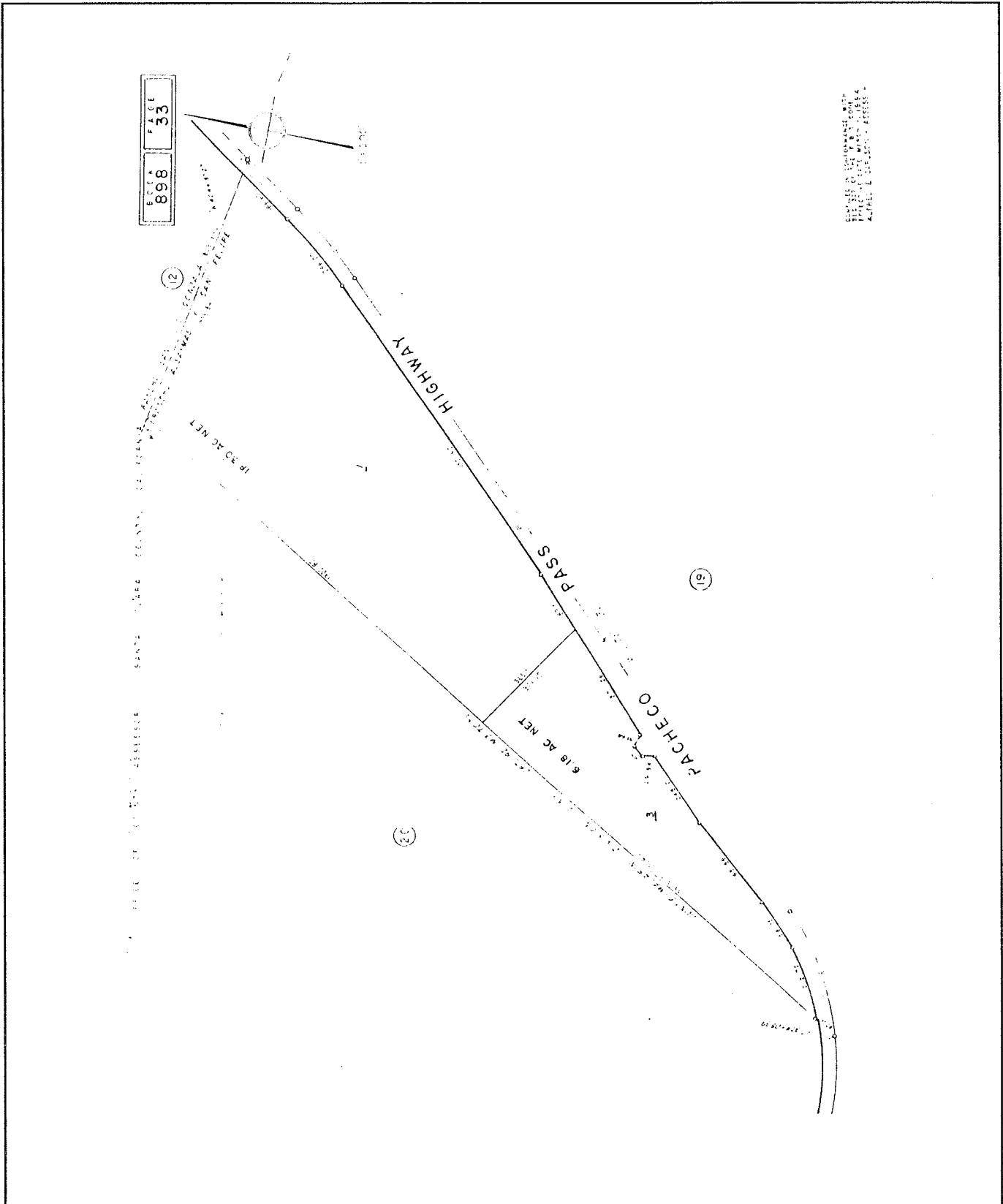
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Map Name: Santa Clara County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 898 Page 33 Scale: reduced scale Date: 1994



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B1. Historic Name: Pacheco Fire Control Station Combination Barracks

B2. Common Name: Pacheco Forest Fire Station Combination Barracks

B3. Address: 12280 Pacheco Pass Highway (State Route 152)

City: Hollister

County: Lake

Zip: 95023

B4. Zoning: S-20s (scenic highway)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Transitional California Ranch

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

New HVAC late 1970s, new roofing 1981, new siding 1982-83, windows replaced 1980s.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

apparatus building, gas and oil house, well pump house

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC construction program

Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9 -- state fire station

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1942 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

There are five sites in the CDF property inventory that have CCC vintage combination barracks that were based on a variation of the USFS-CCC "D-11" style. The Forest Service "D-11" features a rear facing "U" floor plan with four gables. The CDF version replaces the front gables with a hip roof. The Pacheco and Napa buildings have experienced less intrusive revisions since original construction than the other CDF "D-11" types. Although the remodeling done to the Pacheco combination barracks has reduced its historic architectural integrity, this is the best CDF "D-11" variant recorded for this project.

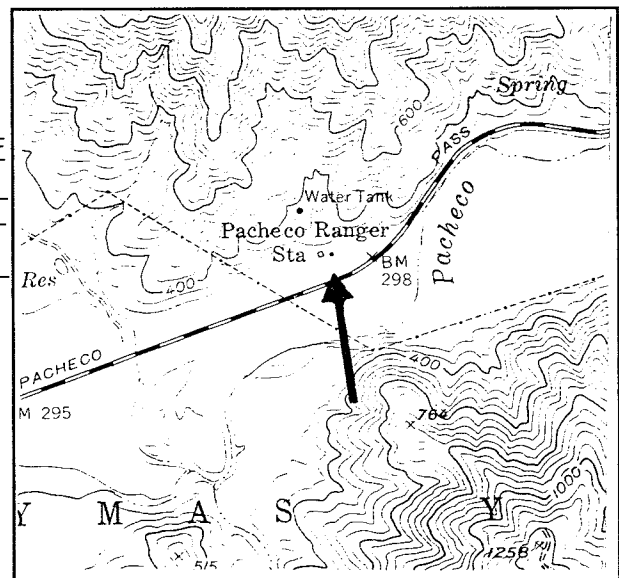
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Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

Affiliation/Address: California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

B15. Date of Evaluation: November 1994

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Resource Identifier: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters

- P1. Location:** a. County: San Luis Obispo and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 635 North Santa Rosa  
City: San Luis Obispo Zip: 93401  
c. UTM: USGS Quad San Luis Obispo (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1965 (Rev. 1979) Zone: 10 mE: 711300 mN: 3908800  
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APN: a portion of 73-340-23

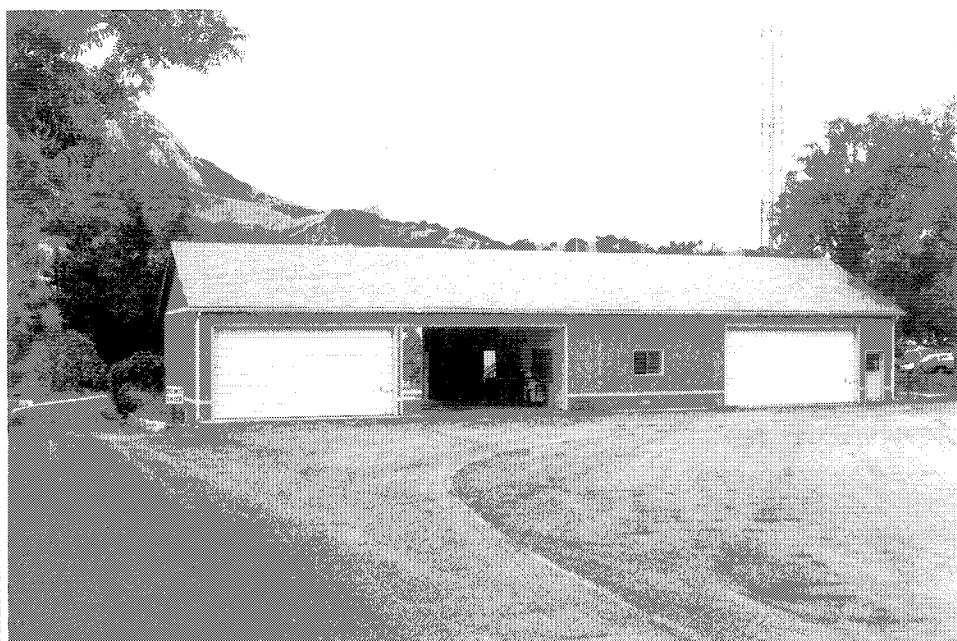
Legal: located in the West 1/2 of Section 22 Township 30 South Range 12 East MDB&M.

- P2. Description:** (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

The equipment garage, ranger's residence, residence garage, and office were all originally constructed circa 1939. The 2,700 square foot equipment garage has been extensively remodeled. It is a single story rectangular wood frame building with a concrete slab foundation, plywood panel and batten siding, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, open eaves (with rain gutters), and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. The three vehicle stall entries on the east elevation have 10' x 20' overhead aluminum sectional doors. The two vehicle stall entries on the west elevation have 10'3" x 11'9" overhead aluminum sectional doors. These two bays are "pull through" stalls. A two panel rectangular louvered attic vent and a belt coarse are on each gable end. The 1,408 square foot residence is a single story wood frame building with a 13' x 16.5' poured concrete basement. The building has a compound floor plan with a concrete perimeter foundation, "v" rustic siding, fascia, and asphalt composition shingles on a cross-gabled roof. Divided light double hung wood frame windows are featured on all elevations. The building has a central (gable front) wing, a left (west) wing, and a right (east) wing. The left wing is at the north end of the west elevation of the central wing. The right wing is centrally located on the east elevation of the central wing. A large, 8 light fixed pane window is centered on the south gable end of the central wing. (See continuation page)

- P3. Resources Present:** ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

**P4. Photograph or Drawing** (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



East side of the former 8-bay truck garage (combination office and equipment garage).

**P5. Date Constructed/Age:**

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1939+, 1939, 1939, 1939+  
1953 (F) CDF Records

**P6. Owner and Address:**

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
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**P7. Recorded by:**

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

**P8. Date Recorded:**

May 5, 1994

**P9. Type of Survey:**

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

**Describe:** building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations:** (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

**Attachments:** ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☒ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
☐ Archaeological Record ☐ District Record ☐ Milling Station Record ☐ Rock Art Record ☐ Artifact Record ☐ Photograph Record  
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The same window type is on the gable end of the east wing. Inset in the corner junction of the central and east wings on the front elevation is a shed roof covered enclosed entry with adjoining 15.5' x 6' covered concrete porch. A single wood post on the east end of the porch supports the shed roof overhang from the east wing. Inset in the corner junction of the east wing with the central wing on the rear (north) elevation is a 12' x 10' addition. The addition's shed roof extends to the ridge line over the north slope of the east wing. Inset in the corner junction of the shed roof addition with the east wing is an eave side brick chimney. Inset in the corner junction of the central wing with the west wing is a shed roof covered side entry. The shed roof and entry door are on the west gable side of the central wing. An extended shed roof covers a 12' x 2.5' bay addition, wood box and alcove on the south wall of the west wing. Valley flashing runs down the roof junction of these wings. The bay has plywood and batt siding. Louvered attic vents are located in each of the four gables of this house. A 15' x 7.5' (high) x 1' (wide) stone wall extends at a right angle from the north elevation of the west wing to a stone retaining wall that runs parallel to the house. The house now serves as an office. The 616 square foot residence garage has a concrete slab foundation, "v" rustic siding, fascia, and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. A 6/6 wood frame fixed sash window is centered on the west gable end. A door is off-set to the right on the east gable end. A 6/6 fixed pane window is off-set to the left end of the north elevation. The two vehicle stall entries have overhead track sliding doors clad with vertical "v" rustic tongue and groove boards. A 1/1 aluminum frame sliding glass window has recently been installed on the south elevation to the right of the vehicle bays. A 90 square foot electric control (generator) house is west of the garage. It has a concrete slab foundation, "v" rustic siding, fascia, and asphalt composition shingles over a simple gable roof. Centered on the east and west elevations are a 1/1 double hung wood frame window. The north gable end has a door with lower louvered panel.

The original 18' x 30' office (erected circa 1939) was rebuilt into a 24' x 60' gable roof covered building in 1949. A 14' x 16' gabled wing was added on the west elevation near the south end in 1960. In the mid-1970s a 33' x 50' gable wing was constructed on the north gable end. The building was remodeled and enlarged again in the mid-1980s. The approximately 3,740 square foot building has a roughly rectangular shape with a two unit principal roof and three rear facing gable roofs (across the west elevation of the 24' x 60' older office area). This building has a concrete perimeter foundation, pressed hardboard siding, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, plain fascia, and asphalt composition shingle roofing. The main entry is located gable side. The 6' x 60' concrete front entry porch is covered by a shed roof supported by six wood posts. Cantilevered awnings shade the south elevation windows. A gable roof covered side entry is to the left of these windows. Awnings are also over the west elevation windows. Two shed roof covered utility closets are on this side and rear entries are covered with either shed or gable roofs.

The station also includes a 1948 automotive repair shop (remodeled in 1963), 1956 warehouse, a 1959 combination kitchen-messhall (remodeled and converted to an emergency command center in 1986), a 1986 two story combination barracks, and a 1994 generator house. A small hill is in the northeast corner of the compound upon which is located the ranger's residence, garage, and electric control shed (now used for storage). The administration office is in the southeast corner (front of the property) facing east toward State Highway 1. The other buildings are toward the western end of the compound. Lawn, flowering plants, shrub, and trees are around the combination barracks, residence, and office. The station is on the north side of the City of San Luis Obispo upon University of California land. The area north of the City consists of oak woodland, brush, and grass lands with encroaching development.

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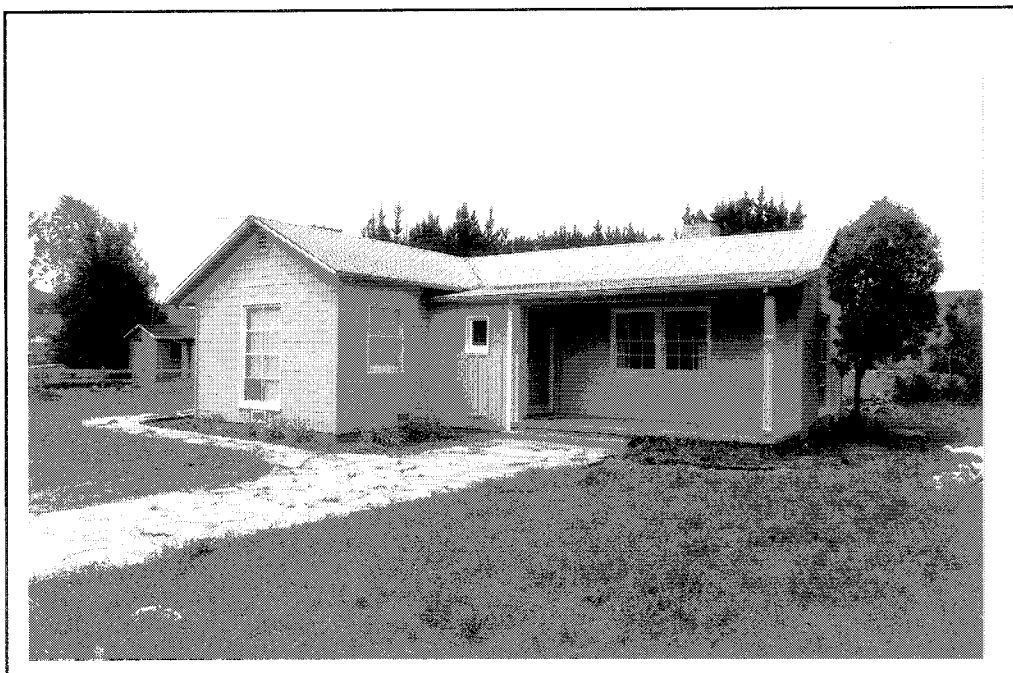
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Southeast side of the former ranger's residence (office).



South and east elevations of the residence garage.

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Northwest side of the generator house (residence garage on left).



Southeast side of the administration office.



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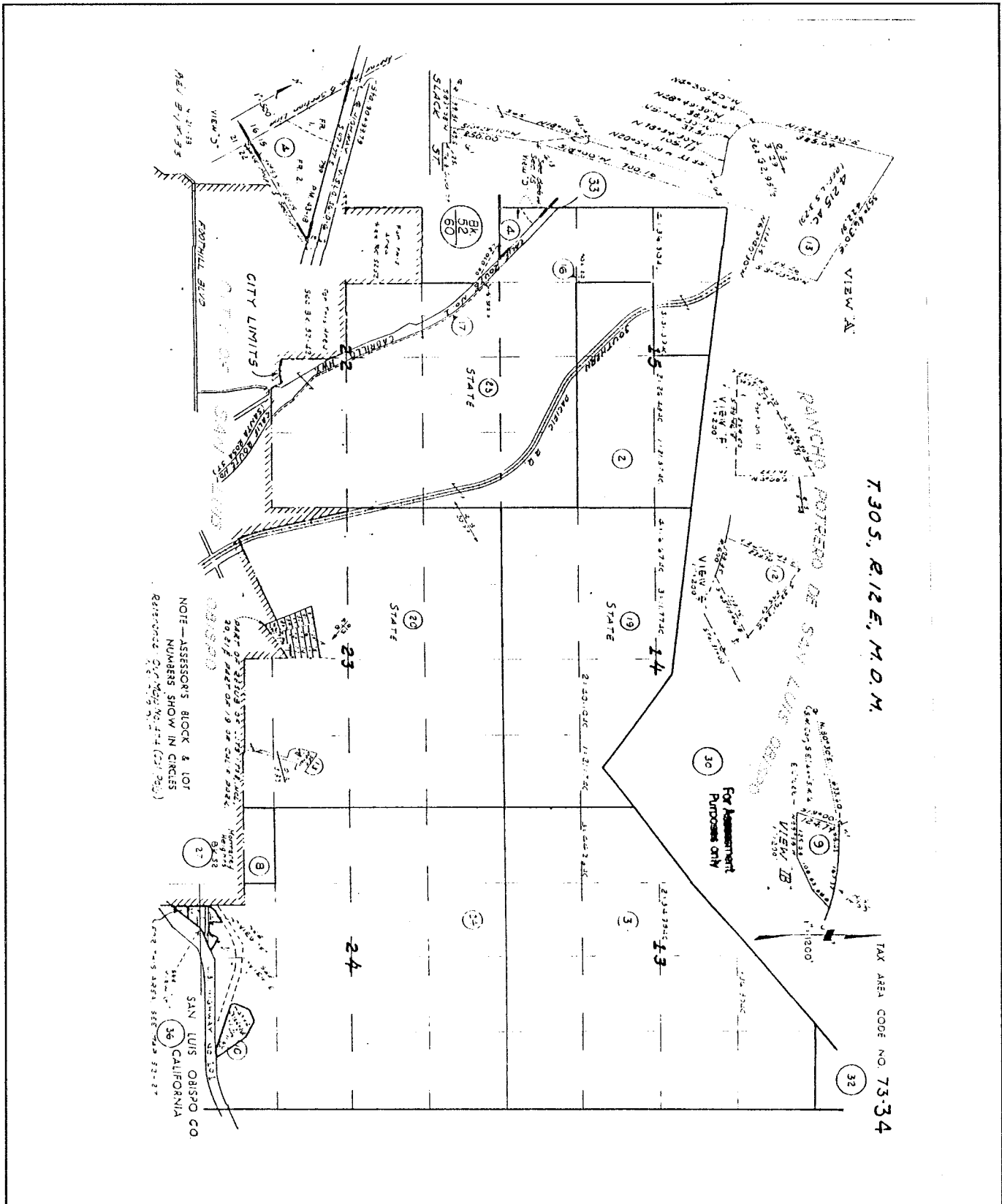
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Map Name: San Luis Obispo County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 73 Page 34 Scale: reduced scale Date: 1994



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B1. Historic Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters 8-Bay Equipment Garage & Shop

B2. Common Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters Office/Apparatus Building

B3. Address: 635 North Santa Rosa (State Highway 1)

City: San Luis Obispo

County: San Luis Obispo

Zip: 93401

B4. Zoning: \_\_\_\_\_ B5. Threats: none

B6. Architectural Style: rectangular wood frame building with gable roof

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

The original eight bay garage was reconstructed circa 1963 (pull through bay feature added, new siding, roofing, doors, windows). Subsequent remodeling date(s) unknown.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a ranger unit complex of buildings

B10. Architect: U.S Forest Service-CCC program; revisions: CDF Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- ranger station truck garage, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1939 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The building's 30' x 90' footprint suggests that it was originally based on one of the USFS-CCC "M" series plans. However, an undated site map for this compound shows a 27' x 78' warehouse for this location. The map is believed to predate 1950. If the map entry is correct then the garage was initially a variant of the USFS-CCC "L" series plans. A 1953 site plan shows what appears to be the current 30' x 90' footprint. Old photographs show this building to be an eight bay truck garage. The building was extensively remodeled and redesigned circa 1963 (reference CDF Plan AA-200). Due to its significant loss of integrity the building is not considered a significant historic resource.

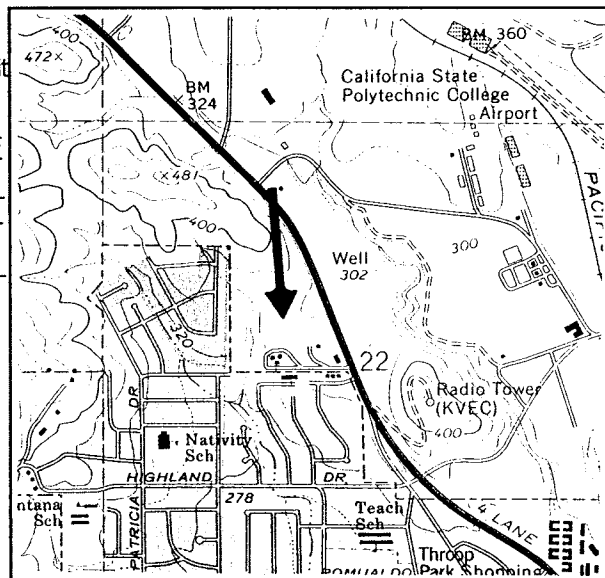
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B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

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Resource Identifier: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters

B1. Historic Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters Ranger's Residence

B2. Common Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters State Residence (Office)

B3. Address: 635 North Santa Rosa (State Highway 1)

City: San Luis Obispo

County: San Luis Obispo

Zip: 93401

B4. Zoning: \_\_\_\_\_ B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: California Ranch

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Rear shed roof addition, date unknown. Newer roofing, bay and wood box additions, southeast entry enclosure, 1980s.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a ranger unit complex of buildings

B10. Architect: unknown Builder: ECW-WPA

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP2, HP35 -- former ranger's residence, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1939 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The building's unusual floor plan coupled with the unique fenestration sets this house apart from the other CCC era ranger's residence recorded for this report. It's possible that the building is based on a variant of the USFS-CCC "A-14" series. It could have been further modified at the time of construction or shortly thereafter. It appears to have undergone relatively few revisions since. The house is situated on a small hill north of the compound. A landscaped buffer zone between it and the main compound provides the house with an immediate setting that has a good historical ambience.

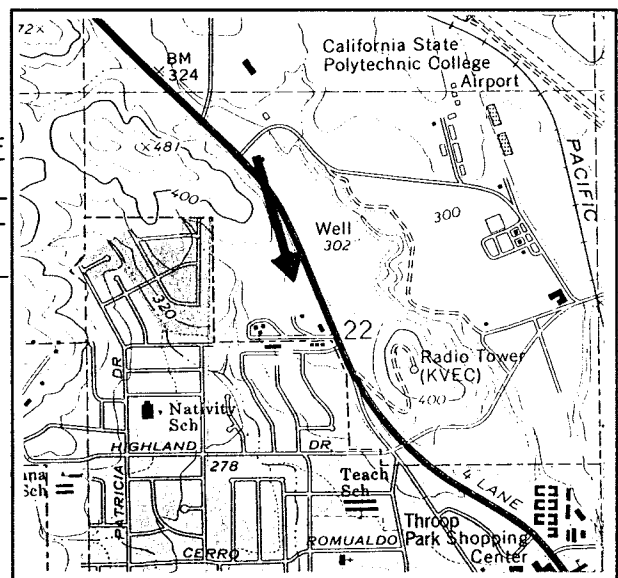
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Resource Identifier: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters

B1. Historic Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters Ranger's Residence Garage

B2. Common Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters State Residence Garage

B3. Address: 635 North Santa Rosa (State Highway 1)

City: San Luis Obispo

County: San Luis Obispo

Zip: 93401

B4. Zoning: \_\_\_\_\_ B5. Threats: entropy

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with fascia

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Aluminum frame window recently added. Newer roofing, 1980s.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a ranger unit complex of buildings

B10. Architect: U.S.Forest Service-CCC construction program Builder: ECW-WPA

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP4, HP35 -- residence garage, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1939 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The building is based on one of the USFS-CCC "J" designs. This is the only gable side two stall residence garage with storeroom in the CDF building collection that dates from the CCC era. It provides insight into the differences between two bay truck garages and two bay residence garages. The former had larger footprints and a higher roof line than the latter. The San Luis Obispo building still reflects a good degree of its historic architectural character. An undated site plan shows the building orientated 90 degrees from its present profile, this maybe an error. A 1953 site map shows the building positioned as it is today.

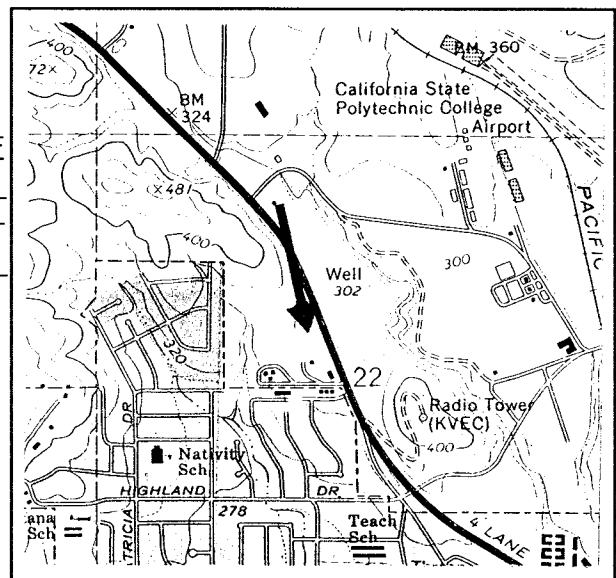
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Resource Identifier: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters

B1. Historic Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters Ranger's Residence Generator House

B2. Common Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters Air Refill Shed

B3. Address: 635 North Santa Rosa (State Highway 1)

City: San Luis Obispo

County: San Luis Obispo

Zip: 93401

B4. Zoning: \_\_\_\_\_ B5. Threats: entropy

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with fascia

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Entry door replaced, new roofing, date(s) unknown.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a ranger unit complex of buildings

B10. Architect: CDF Builder: CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP4 -- fire station outbuilding

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1953 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

A 1953 site plan identifies this small shed as an "electric control" building. It was part of a water pumping system for an on-site reservoir. The S-5 Form does not list this building and its age is unknown. It appears to have changed little since its original construction, estimated to be 1953.

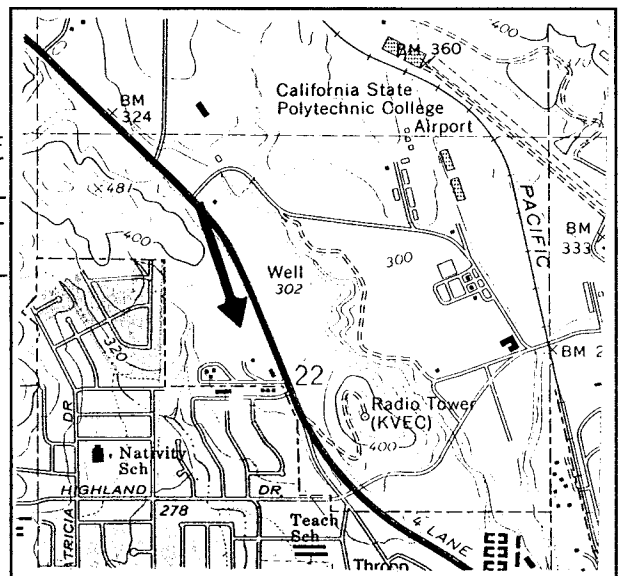
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Resource Identifier: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters

B1. Historic Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters Office

B2. Common Name: San Luis Obispo Ranger Unit Headquarters Administration Office

B3. Address: 635 North Santa Rosa (State Highway 1)

City: San Luis Obispo

County: San Luis Obispo

Zip: 93401

B4. Zoning: \_\_\_\_\_ B5. Threats: none

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow revised to California Ranch

B7. Alterations and Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

The office was remodeled or rebuilt circa 1949. A south wing was added 1960. A north wing was added in the mid-1970s. The building was remodeled and enlarged again mid-1980s (new siding, roofing, windows, etc.).

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a ranger unit complex of buildings

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC & CDF Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP14, HP35 -- government office, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1939 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The original 18' x 33' office was constructed here by the WPA in 1939. A copy of the working plan on file at the headquarters office is labeled "Office Building - Division of Forestry - Ranger Station - San Luis Obispo - California." The plan was drawn by the "State Department of Public Works - Division of State Architect - Sacramento." Most CCC era buildings were based on drawings from architects retained by the U.S. Forest Service. There are, however, several other CCC era buildings in the CDF property inventory that were designed by the State Division of Architect. Most of these buildings borrow ideas from the USFS-CCC working plans. Unfortunately, the extensive reconstruction, additions, and remodeling to the San Luis Obispo office have all but erased the building's historic architectural character. This is another example of the "Winchester House" approach to undertaking a capital improvement project.

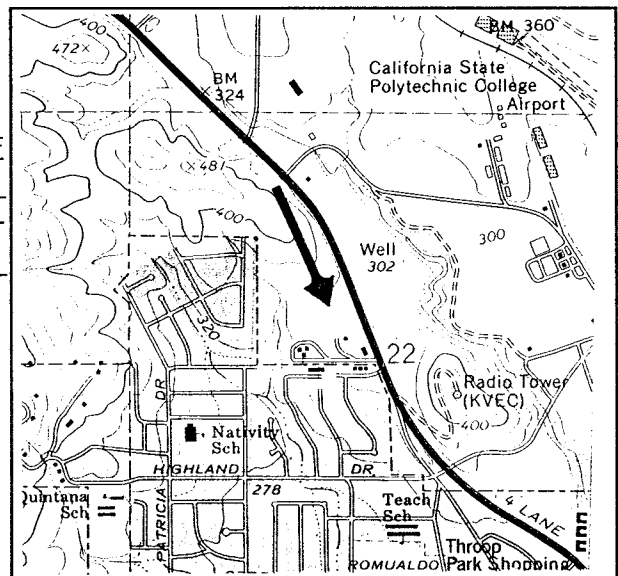
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Review Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Reviewer: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Resource Identifier: Saratoga Summit Forest Fire Station

- P1. Location:** a. County: Santa Cruz and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 12900 Skyline Boulevard Zip: 95030  
City: Los Gatos (Santa Clara County)  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Mindego Hill (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1961 (Rev. 1980) Zone: 10 mE: 577080 mN: 4123970  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APN: 88-220-n/a

Legal: 3.31 acres located in Southwest 1/4 of Section 6 Township 8 South Range 2 West MDB&M.

- P2. Description:** (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

The barracks, combination kitchen-messhall, and equipment garage at this site were constructed circa 1938. The barracks and kitchen-messhall are split level buildings with the upper level serving as the main floor. The 3,100 square foot barracks is a wood frame rectangular building that has a combination concrete perimeter and slab foundation, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, boxed eaves (with rain gutter across the front), and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. The front entry for the upper floor is at the left end of the northwest gable end. A small concrete landing (with hand rails on the downhill sides) is in front of this door. A cantilevered wood shingle shed roof protects the door. The window to the right of this entry has had the glass removed. The space has been framed in and a decorative panel of a building silhouette installed within the casement outline. A cantilevered wood shingle shed roof is over a lower level entry at the right end of this same elevation. A 21.5' x 20.5' split level addition has been constructed on the southeast gable end of the original barracks. The addition is clad with plywood panel siding. A 4.5' x 5' uncovered concrete porch and gable side entry is located on the northeast elevation of this addition. A lower level door is located gable side on the southwest elevation. The rear (southwest) elevation of the original barracks has a gable side boxed stove pipe. (See continuation page)

- P3. Resources Present:** ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

**P4. Photograph or Drawing** (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



Northwest and southwest elevations of the barracks.

**P5. Date Constructed/Age:**

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1938 (F)  
CDF Property Records

**P6. Owner and Address:**

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

**P7. Recorded by:**

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

**P8. Date Recorded:**

March 30, 1994

**P9. Type of Survey:**

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

**Describe:** building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations:** (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

**Attachments:** ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☒ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
☐ Archaeological Record ☐ District Record ☐ Milling Station Record ☐ Rock Art Record ☐ Artifact Record ☐ Photograph Record  
☐ Other (list): \_\_\_\_\_

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The rear wall of the original barracks is covered with plywood paneling and widely spaced batten. The other two outside walls of the original barracks have 12" "v" rustic siding. An internal stairway on the northwest gable end connects the two levels. The upper level contains sleeping quarters and rest room. The downstairs contains a locker room, exercise room, and office-storage area. Concrete walks extend across the front and rear elevations.

The 2,310 square foot kitchen-messhall has been remodeled and now includes the station office. Only a portion of the ground floor of the kitchen-messhall has been finished. It serves as a small combination basement and tool room. The rectangular wood frame building has a combination concrete perimeter and slab foundation, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, boxed eaves (with rain gutter on the front), and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. The side gable front entry is recessed under a diminutive cantilevered extended shed roof. A shed roof covered porch is on the southeast gable end. The porch roof has been cut to fit around a large oak tree. The roof is supported by wood posts. The lower level entry is at the left end of this elevation. A 2/4 sash window is to the right of the lower level door. A stone and cement stairway leads from the lower level to the upper level at this end of the building. Plywood panels and widely spaced batten cover the rear elevation of the building. The other three walls have 12" "v" rustic siding. There is a stone wall running behind both the barracks and the kitchen-messhall. An open front, wood shed is between the barracks and kitchen-messhall on the upper level.

The 2,025 square foot equipment garage is a single story wood frame building with a concrete slab foundation, plywood panel siding ("v" rustic in the northwest gable), and asphalt composition shingle roofing. The building consists of the original garage and two additions. The original garage is a rectangular building with gable roof and enclosed eaves. Its floor plan consists of a combination four vehicle stall garage and one room storage (at the southeast gable end). A 17' x 11.5' addition has been constructed at the southern end of the southwest elevation of the original garage. The addition has a plain fascia and shed roof. Another addition has been constructed on the northwest gable end of the original garage. This 18' x 28' addition has a flat roof with diagonal parapet on the rear, open eave on the side, and false front. This addition's front wall is about three feet forward of the adjoining front wall of the original garage. The four vehicle entries on the original garage have overhead aluminum sectional doors. The vehicle entry for the northwest addition has a hinged double door. The storeroom on the southeast end of the original garage has a 1/1 aluminum frame sliding window on the front wall and a side door on the southeast wall. Three 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows are across the rear elevation of the original garage.

In front of the garage is an 80 square foot gas and oil house. The building may be a reconstructed 1930s service station or a totally new building dating from circa 1968. It has a concrete slab foundation, 8" "v" rustic siding, plain fascia, and wood shingles over a simple gable roof. The 2' x 8' fuel pump island is recessed under the front gable. The roof overhang is supported by two wood posts. The original door has been replaced, the building has no windows, just a screened vent above the door. The compound is located along a summit ridge. The area is covered in native oak, fir, and madrone with some under story brush. The barracks and office-kitchen-messhall face the summit ridge. On the other side of the summit is Skyline Boulevard. The equipment garage is north of the crew quarters and has an unobstructed view of the boulevard.



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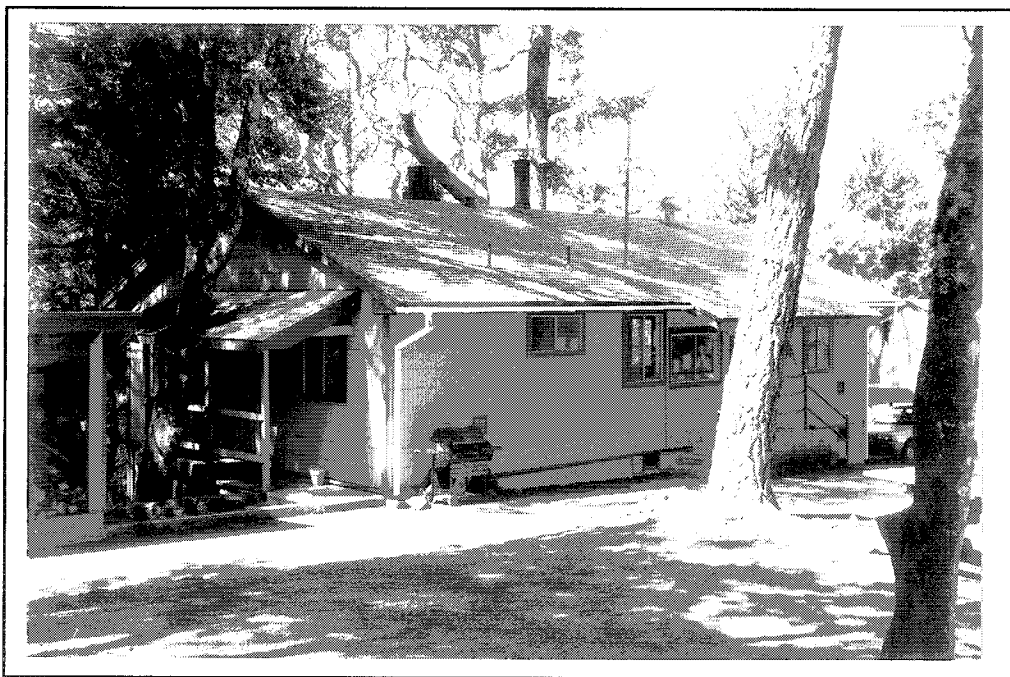
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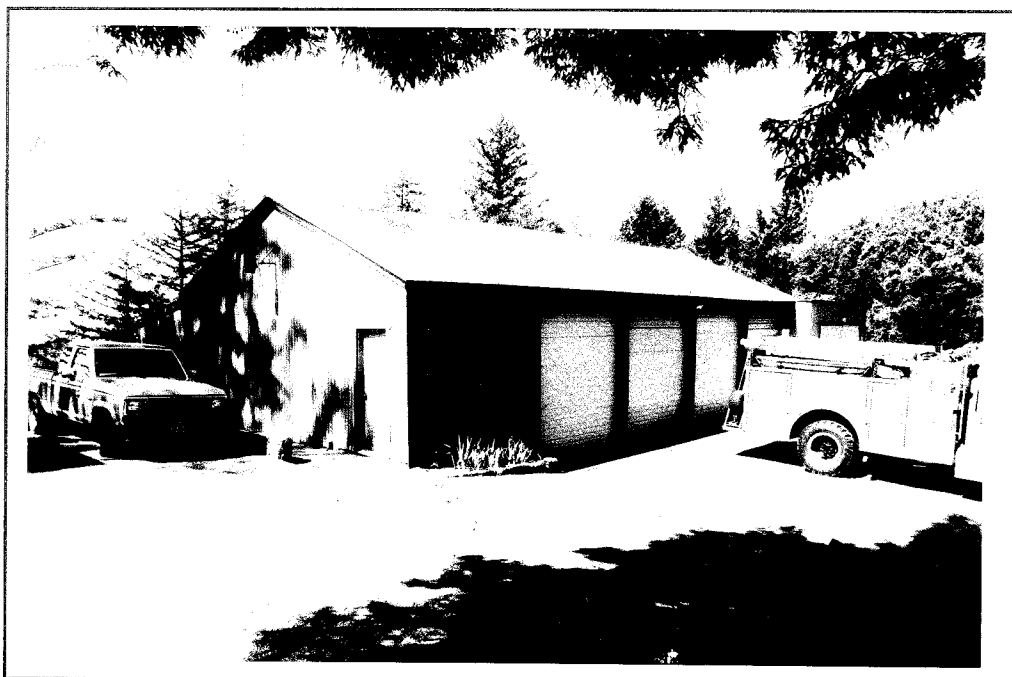
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Southeast and northeast elevations of the office-kitchen-messhall.



Southeast and northeast elevations of the equipment garage.

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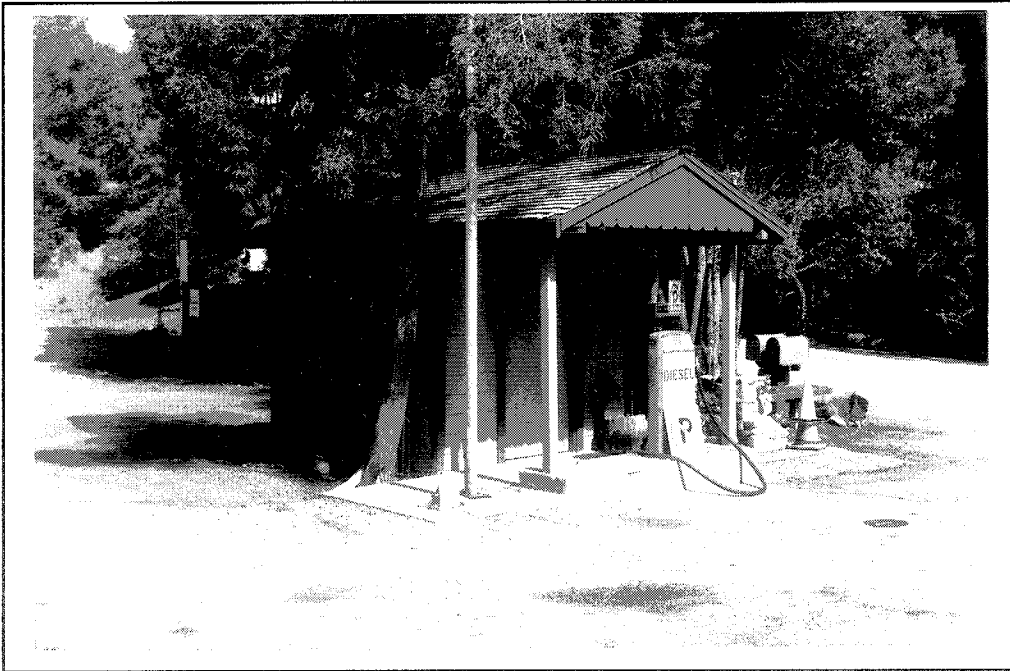
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Southwest and southeast elevations of the gas and oil house.

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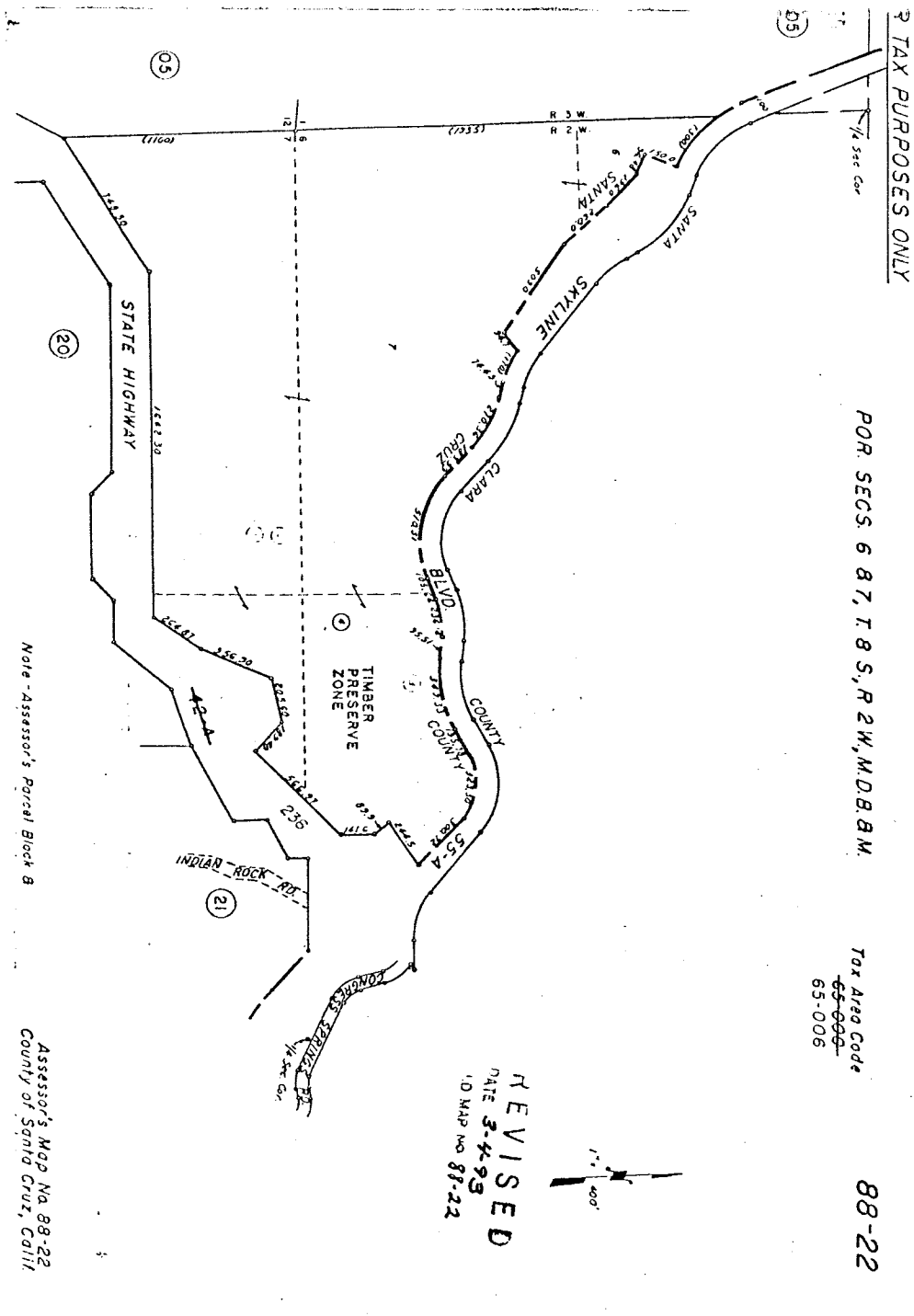
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Map Name: Santa Cruz County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 88 Page 22 Scale: reduced scale Date: 1994



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Resource Identifier: Saratoga Summit Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Saratoga Summit Fire Control Station Barracks

B2. Common Name: Saratoga Summit Forest Fire Station Barracks

B3. Address: 12900 Skyline Boulevard

City: Los Gatos

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95030

B4. Zoning: none (PF - public facility)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with boxed eaves

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Remodeled circa 1970 (windows, doors, and rear elevation siding probably replaced at this time). The locker room and recreation room on the lower level were remodeled circa 1972. New roofing, plywood soffit, circa 1982. Southern (women's rest room) addition constructed 1990-91.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station compound.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC program; revisions: CDF

Builder: ECW-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- state fire station, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1938 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The barracks was originally 20' x 64' suggesting that the building is based on one of the USFS-CCC "D" series variations. It is, however, a rather unique building with its split level design. The barracks was remodeled circa 1970 (reference CDF Plan 311) and had a southern addition constructed circa 1990 (reference CDF Plan 1938-7A). These and other alterations have reduced the building's historic architectural integrity.

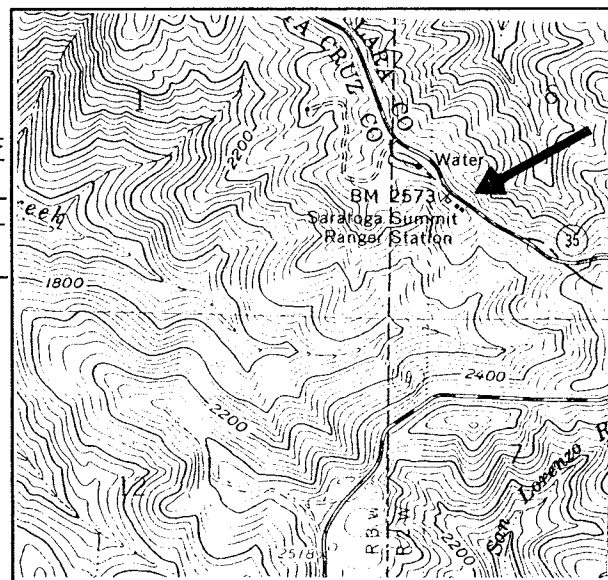
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B1. Historic Name: Saratoga Summit Fire Control Station Office/Messhall

B2. Common Name: Saratoga Summit Forest Fire Station Office/Messhall

B3. Address: 12900 Skyline Boulevard

City: Los Gatos

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95030

B4. Zoning: none (PF - public facility)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with boxed eaves

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

The entry porch was enclosed/redesigned circa 1964. The building was remodeled late 1960s (windows and doors probably replaced at this time), plywood paneling rear elevation and basement areas circa 1972, shed roof replaced circa 1982, asphalt composition shingles and plywood soffit added, circa 1982.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station compound.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC program; revisions: CDF Builder: CCC/WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- state fire station, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1939 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The building is constructed on the side of the hill with the upper story constituting the main floor. This floor's gross measurement is 25' x 44' suggesting that the building is based loosely on one of the USFS-CCC "D" series variations. The building was remodeled circa 1970 (reference CDF Plan 311). It has experienced further revisions since. It still retains a degree of its historic architectural character.

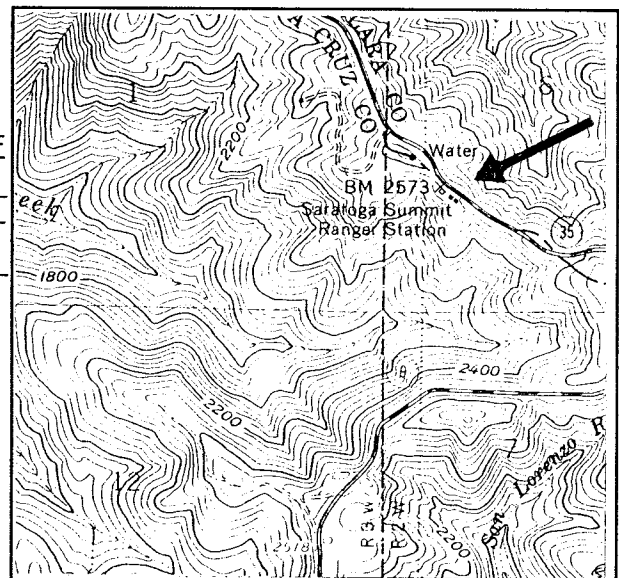
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B1. Historic Name: Saratoga Summit Fire Control Station 4-Bay Equipment Garage/Storeroom

B2. Common Name: Saratoga Summit Forest Fire Station Apparatus Building/Storage

B3. Address: 12900 Skyline Boulevard

City: Los Gatos

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95030

B4. Zoning: none (PF - public facility)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with enclosed eaves and wood frame additions

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Garage doors replaced, new siding, new windows 1980s (estimate). A rear elevation shed roof addition constructed circa 1988. New roofing circa 1989. Northern end addition constructed circa 1990.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station compound.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC program; revisions: CDF Builder: CCC-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- fire station garage, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1938 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D  
(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The original four stall garage with gable end storeroom is similar to the Blasingame truck garage. Both are probably based on a variation of one of the USFS-CCC "J" working plans. The additions and revisions to the Saratoga Summit building have had a deleterious impact on its historic architectural integrity.

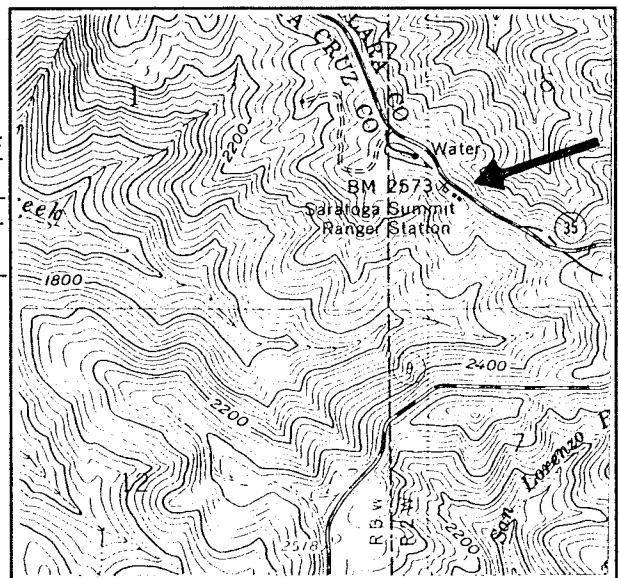
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Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

Affiliation/Address: California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

B15. Date of Evaluation: November 1994

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Resource Identifier: Saratoga Summit Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Saratoga Summit Fire Control Station Gas & Oil House

B2. Common Name: Saratoga Summit Forest Fire Station Gas & Oil House

B3. Address: 12900 Skyline Boulevard

City: Los Gatos

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95030

B4. Zoning: none (PF - public facility)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with revisions

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Original fuel storage rebuilt or replaced circa 1968.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station compound.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC construction program

Builder: CCC-WPA; CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP4, HP35 -- fire station service station, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1938 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The original gas and oil house was constructed by the CCC in 1938. That building was either reconstructed or replaced circa 1968 (reference CDF Plan 5SA-781). The building's design is probably based on one of the USFS-CCC "R" designs. There are an unknown number of post 1946 gas and oil houses in the CDF building collection.

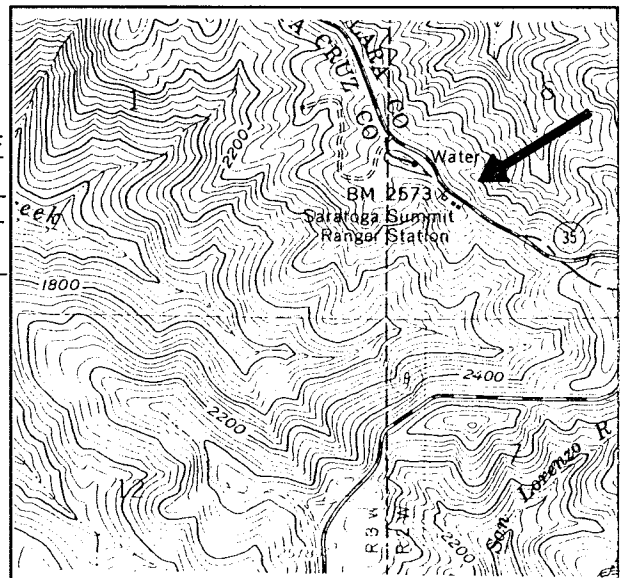
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Resource Identifier: Smith Creek Forest Fire Station

- P1. Location:** a. County: Santa Clara and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 22805 Mount Hamilton Road Zip: 95140  
City: San Jose  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Lick Observatory (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1955 (Rev. 1973) Zone: 10 mE: 618080 mN: 4131330  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APN: 627-050-04

Legal: 4 acres located in the South 1/2 of Section 17 Township 7 South Range 3 East MDB&M.

- P2. Description:** (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

The equipment garage at this site was erected circa 1938. The 1,044 square foot garage is a single story, rectangular wood frame building. It has a concrete slab foundation, "v" rustic siding, open eaves, and asphalt composition shingles over a gable roof. The two vehicle stall entries each have a single panel overhead wood door that is covered with "v" rustic tongue and groove boards (arranged vertically). Louvered attic vents are centered in each gable. Four 6 light wood frame windows are on each gable end. The east (rear) elevation had three paired 6/6 wood frame windows but the center window has been replaced with a 1/1 aluminum slider. The north end window has had four lights converted to one large pane. A door on the front elevation, to the left of the vehicle bays, is clad in "v" rustic siding. The site includes a 1961 well pump house, a 1968 combination barracks, a 1989 gas and oil house, and a 1992 apparatus building. Landscaping of lawn, shrubs, and trees (including some pine) is on this site, being mostly around the combination barracks. There is also a small vegetable garden at this station. Natural vegetation includes annual grasses, brush, and oak trees. A riparian zone is along Smith Creek which bounds the property on the north.

- P3. Resources Present:** ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

**P4. Photograph or Drawing** (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



North and west elevations of the "old" truck garage.

**P5. Date Constructed/Age:**

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1938 (F)  
CDF Property Records

**P6. Owner and Address:**

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

**P7. Recorded by:**

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

**P8. Date Recorded:**

June 11, 1994

**P9. Type of Survey:**

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

**Describe:** building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations:** (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

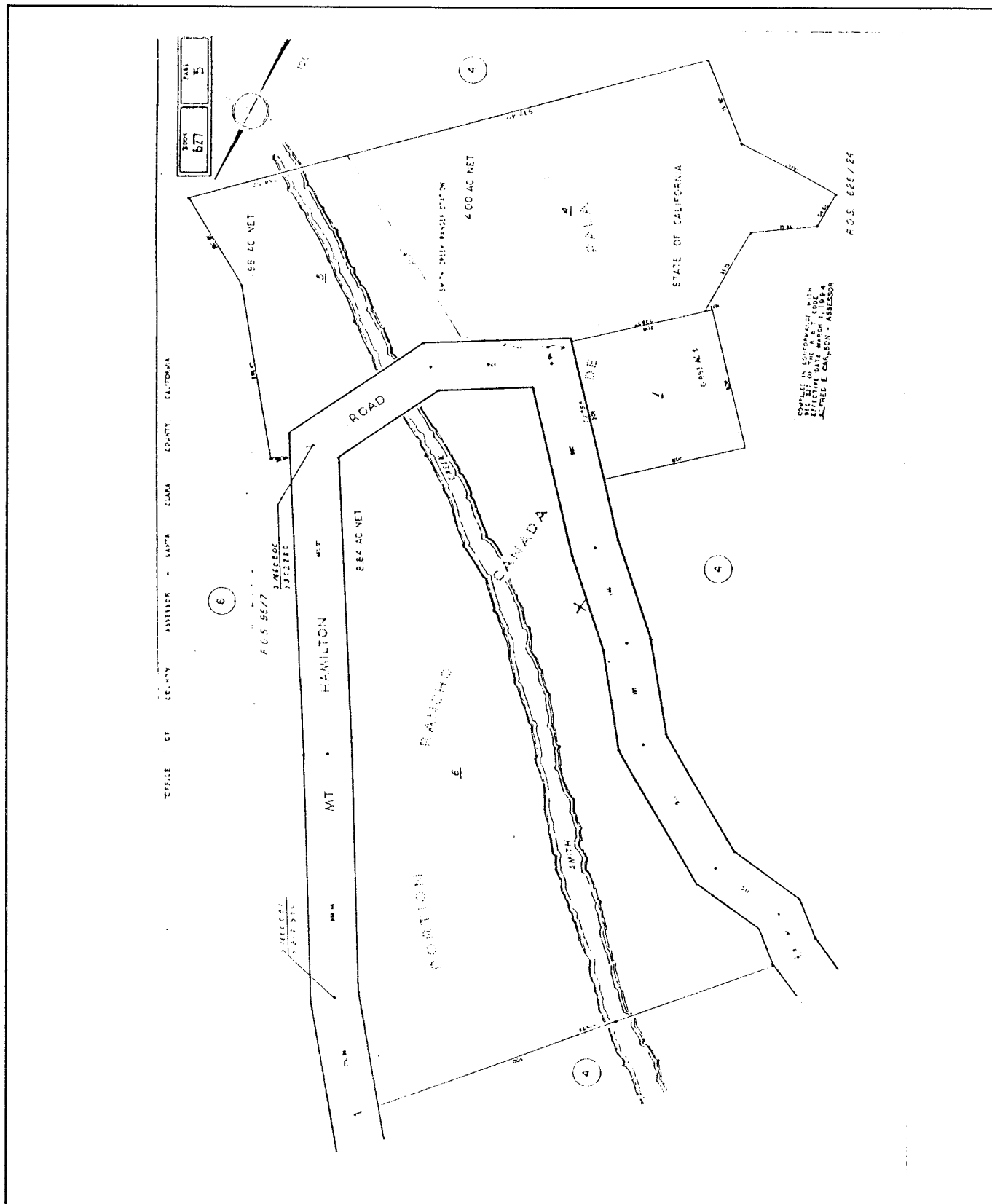
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☐ Archaeological Record ☐ District Record ☐ Milling Station Record ☐ Rock Art Record ☐ Artifact Record ☐ Photograph Record  
Other (list): \_\_\_\_\_

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**Map Name:** Santa Clara County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 627 Page 5 **Scale:** reduced scale **Date:** 1994



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Resource Identifier: Smith Creek Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Smith Creek Fire Control Station Equipment Garage

B2. Common Name: Smith Creek Forest Fire Station Old Equipment Garage

B3. Address: 22805 Mount Hamilton Road

City: San Jose

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95140

B4. Zoning: AR (agricultural range land)

B5. Threats: entropy

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

Minor glazing alterations (date unknown).

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Contemporary buildings have been replaced.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC construction program

Builder: ECW-WPA

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- state fire station garage, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1938 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The is one of the few CCC era truck garages in the CDF building collection to retain a high degree of historic architectural integrity. The truck garage is similar, but slightly larger, than the truck garages at the Groveland Forest Fire Station and the Badger Forest Fire Station. The contemporary associated buildings have been replaced with newer facilities. The old truck garage has a good setting, being set apart from the combination barracks and new apparatus building.

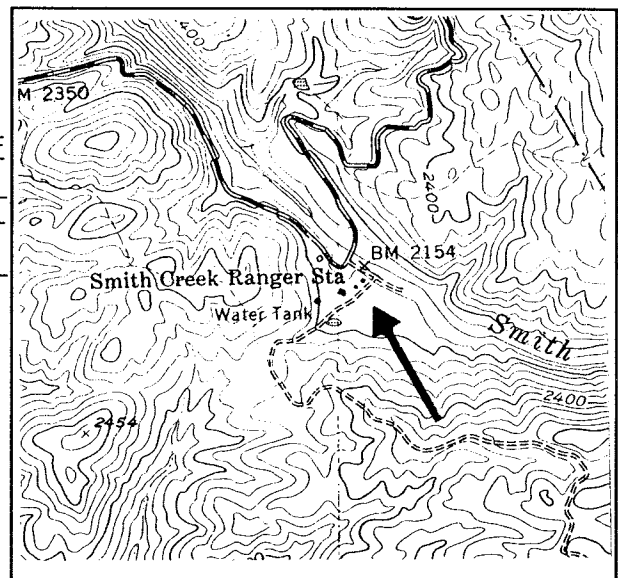
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Property records, Ranger Unit Headquarters.

B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

Affiliation/Address: California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection P.O. Box 944246, Sacramento, CA 94244-2460

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Resource Identifier: Stevens Creek Forest Fire Station

- P1. Location:** a. County: Santa Clara and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 13326 Stevens Canyon Road  
City: Cupertino Zip: 95014  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Cupertino (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1961 (Rev. 1980) Zone: 10 mE: 581780 mN: 4126950  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APN: a portion of 351-190-06 (next to the Stevens Creek Reservoir)

Legal: located in the Southeast 1/4 of Section 28 Township 7 South Range 2 West MDB&M.

- P2. Description:** (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

The two bay truck garage at this station consists of a salvaged portion of a larger equipment shed that was originally erected circa 1935 at the old Alma Ranger Unit Headquarters. This portion of the older garage was moved here circa 1954. The reconstructed 1,152 square foot garage is a single story rectangular wood frame building. It has a concrete slab foundation, "v" rustic siding on three elevations, fascia, and corrugated metal paneling over a gable roof. The two vehicle entries have overhead wood sectional doors. These doors have a 30 panel design. A 6 panel office door and 1/1 aluminum frame sliding window is to the right of the vehicle bays. A cantilevered dropped shed roof is above this door and window. Above the dropped shed roof is a 6/6 wood frame window. Siding on this elevation is plywood paneling. Five 9 light wood frame windows are centered on the north gable end with a louvered attic vent centered in the gable above. To the right of the windows is a side entrance. A cantilevered shed roof shades this door. A 1/1 aluminum frame sliding window is at the left end of the south gable end. Two 18/18 wood frame windows are symmetrically arranged on the rear (east) elevation. The station includes a 1954 combination barracks (remodeled 1966), a 1954 gas and oil house, and a 1954 well pump house. The compound has been landscaped. The site is on the southwest side of the Stevens Creek Reservoir.

- P3. Resources Present:** ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

**P4. Photograph or Drawing** (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



Western and southern elevations of the combination office and truck garage.

**P5. Date Constructed/Age:**

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1935 moved 1954 (F)  
CDF Property Records

**P6. Owner and Address:**

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

**P7. Recorded by:**

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

**P8. Date Recorded:**

June 24, 1994

**P9. Type of Survey:**

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

**Describe:** building survey  
and historical assessment

- P10. Report Citations:** (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

**Attachments:** ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☐ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
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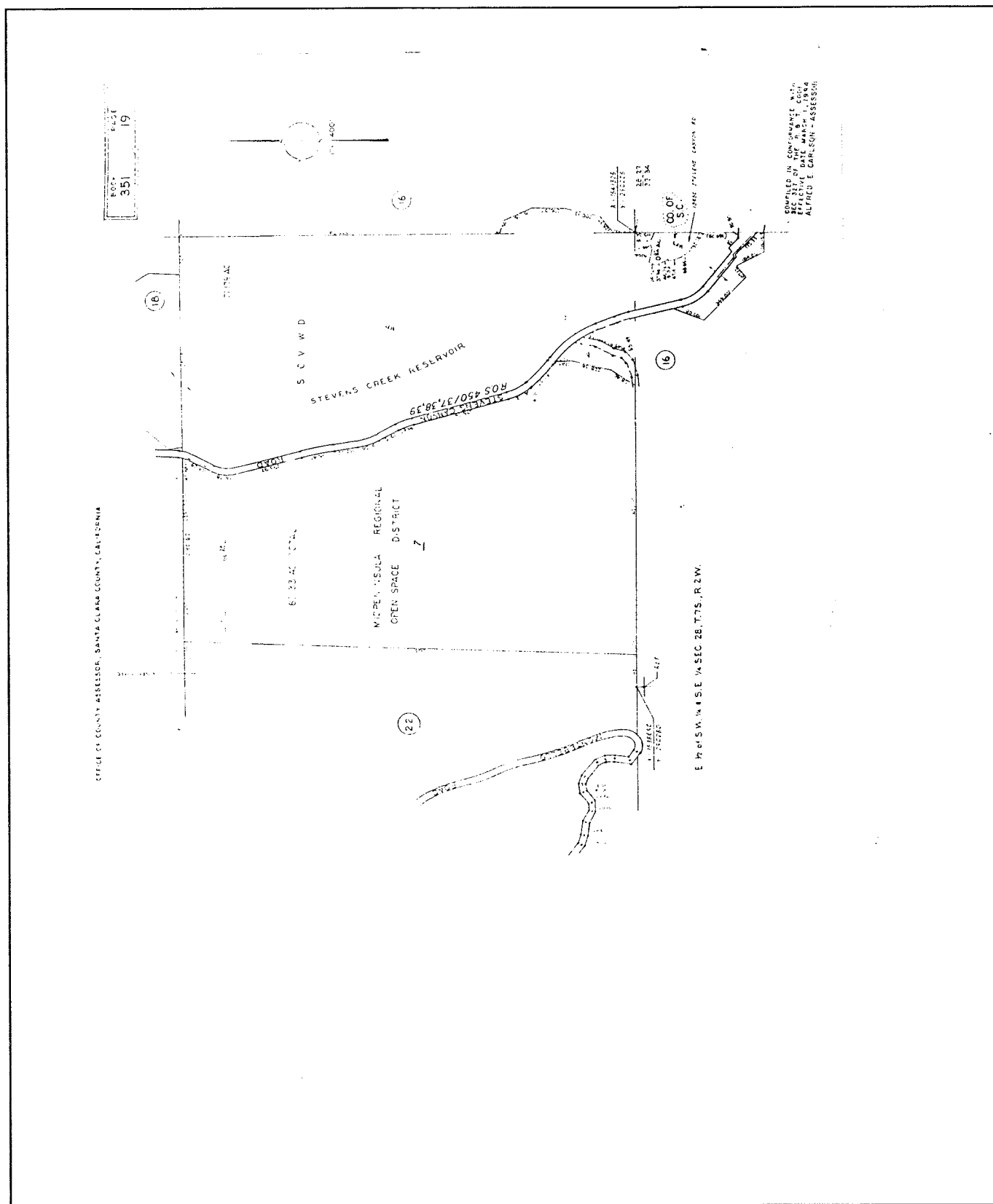
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**Resource Identifier:** Stevens Creek Forest Fire Station

**Map Name:** Santa Clara County Tax Assessor's Map: Book 351 Page 19 **Scale:** reduced scale **Date:** 1994



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Resource Identifier: Stevens Creek Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: Stevens Creek Fire Control Station Equipment Garage

B2. Common Name: Stevens Creek Forest Fire Station Office/Apparatus Building

B3. Address: 13326 Stevens Canyon Road

City: Cupertino

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 95014

B4. Zoning: HS (hillside)

B5. Threats: entropy

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with fascia

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

The building was originally a part of a larger equipment garage at the old Alma Ranger Unit Headquarters Station (site now beneath Lexington Reservoir). This part of the old equipment garage was moved here circa 1954. The southern gable end tool room has been converted to an office, new siding and 1/1 windows added circa 1990.

B8. Moved? ☐ No ☒ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: 1953 Original Location: Lexington Reservoir site

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station compound.

B10. Architect: U.S. Forest Service-CCC program; relocation: CDF

Builder: ECW/WPA & CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9, HP35 -- state fire station, ECW/WPA property

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1953 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

Based on the garage's footprint coupled with information in the property records for the Alma Forest Fire Station, the old Alma Ranger Unit Headquarters compound apparently included a 32' x 85' USFS-CCC "N" series type six bay garage. Three of those bays were relocated here in 1952-53. The Stevens Creek building's storeroom area was remodeled circa 1990 and serves as a station office. Other than this revision, the garage has remained basically unaltered since its reconstruction. It affords good insight into what the reconstructed Alma Forest Fire Station garage looked like before being enlarged circa 1969.

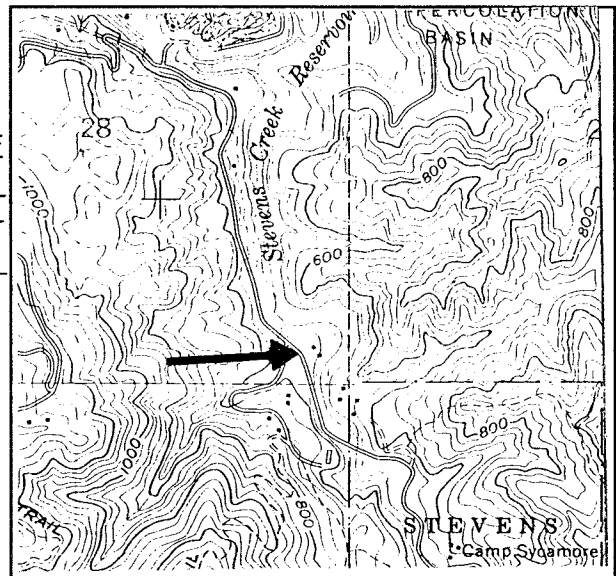
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B14. Evaluator: Mark V. Thornton, Historian-Consultant for CDF

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B15. Date of Evaluation: November 1994

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Resource Identifier: Sweetwater Forest Fire Station

P1. Location: a. County: Santa Clara and (Address and/or UTM Coordinates. Attach Location Map as required.)  
b. Address: 47405 Mines Road  
City: Livermore Zip: 94550  
c. UTM: USGS Quad Mount Boardman (x 7.5' 15') Date: 1955 (Rev. 1971) Zone: 10 mE: 633660 mN: 4139410  
d. Other location data: (Enter parcel #, legal description, directions to resource, and/or other location data if appropriate)

APN: 70-060-06 (kitchen-messhall is on 70-060-74)

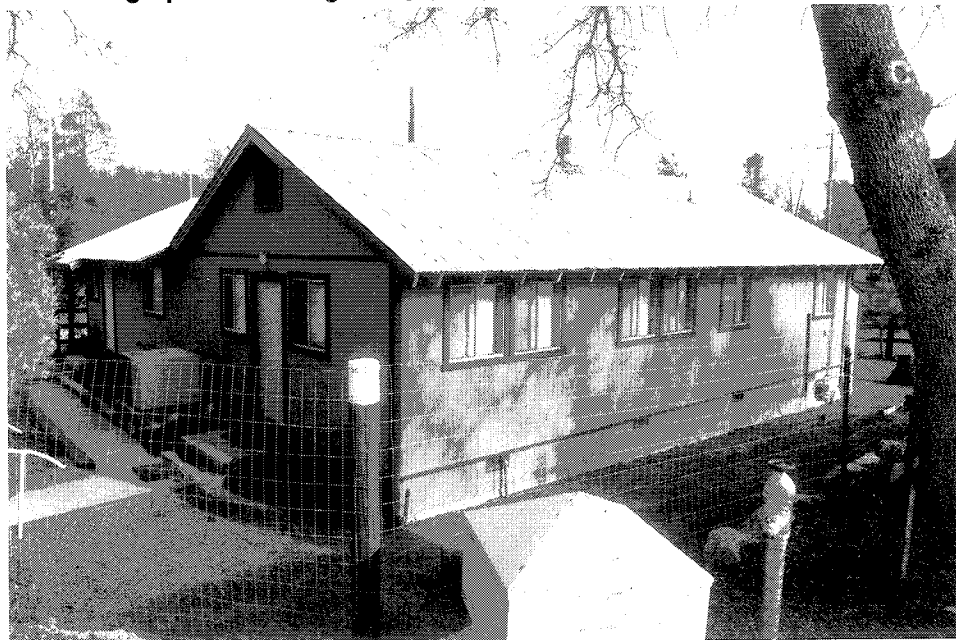
Legal: located in the Southwest 1/4 of Section 24 Township 6 South Range 4 East MDB&M.

P2. Description: (Describe resource and its major elements. Include design, materials, condition, size, setting, and boundaries as relevant)

The original rectangular barracks was constructed circa 1943. The building has been enlarged, remodeled, and subsequently converted to a combination barracks. The remodeled 1,320 square foot single story wood frame building has a concrete perimeter foundation, plywood panel siding, 1/1 aluminum frame sliding windows, open eaves, and corrugated metal paneling over a cross-gabled roof. The building has an "L" floor plan and three gables. Louvered attic vents are centered in each gable. Entry doors are centered gable end on the original barracks with a gable side door located near the left end of the northern elevation of the added (east) wing. A diminutive cantilevered extended shed roof shades this entry. A small shed roof covered utility closet is on the south gable end of the original barracks. A 1943 kitchen-messhall is located to the north of the combination barracks. The 924 square foot building has a concrete perimeter foundation, "V" rustic siding, plain fascia, and asphalt composition roofing. The rectangular building also has a gable roof with a dual-pitched west slope (or large extended shed roof covering the west half of the building). An extended shed roof covers a full width bay on the north elevation. An enclosed gable end porch is recessed under this shed roof. The front door is located on the south gable end and is shaded by a hipped porch roof. The porch roof is supported by two wood posts. (See continuation page)

P3. Resources Present: ☒ Building ☐ Structure ☐ Object ☐ Site ☐ District ☐ Element of District

P4. Photograph or Drawing (Photograph required for buildings, structures, and objects)



Northern and western elevations of the combination barracks.

P5. Date Constructed/Age:

☐ Prehistoric ☒ Historic ☐ Both  
1930s to the present (F)  
CDF Property Records

P6. Owner and Address:

California Department of  
Forestry & Fire Protection  
P.O. Box 944246  
Sacramento, CA 94244

P7. Recorded by:

(Name, affiliation, address)

Mark V. Thornton  
Historian-Consultant  
P. O. Box 192  
Groveland, Ca. 95321

P8. Date Recorded:

March 30, 1994

P9. Type of Survey:

☒ Intensive  
☐ Reconnaissance ☐ Other

Describe: building survey  
and historical assessment

P10. Report Citations: (Provide full citation or enter "none") A Survey and Historic Significance Evaluation of the CDF  
Building Inventory, 1994 Mark V. Thornton

Attachments: ☐ NONE ☒ Location Map ☒ Continuation Sheet ☒ Building, Structure, and Object Record ☐ Linear Resource Record  
☐ Archaeological Record ☐ District Record ☐ Milling Station Record ☐ Rock Art Record ☐ Artifact Record ☐ Photograph Record  
☐ Other (list): \_\_\_\_\_

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☒ Continuation ☐ Update

Resource Identifier: Sweetwater Forest Fire Station

Single panel "chevron" louvered attic vents are centered in each gable. This building is no longer occupied by CDF (the compound site is leased). The kitchen-messhall is leased by a private telephone company. A 1975 apparatus building is to the northwest of the combination barracks. The station is surrounded by oak woodland, open range, and brush lands. The station was originally known as the San Antone Forest Fire Station. A few years ago it was renamed Sweetwater Forest Fire Station after an area resident complained about the continued practice of corrupting San Antonio to San Antone. The station is located in San Antonio Valley but the San Antone appellation has been used in the area for other properties, for many years. There is a San Antonio Forest Fire Station in the CDF system, so the name was changed to Sweetwater (after a nearby creek) to placate the local and avoid confusion with the southern California fire station.



Western and southern elevations of the former kitchen-messhall.

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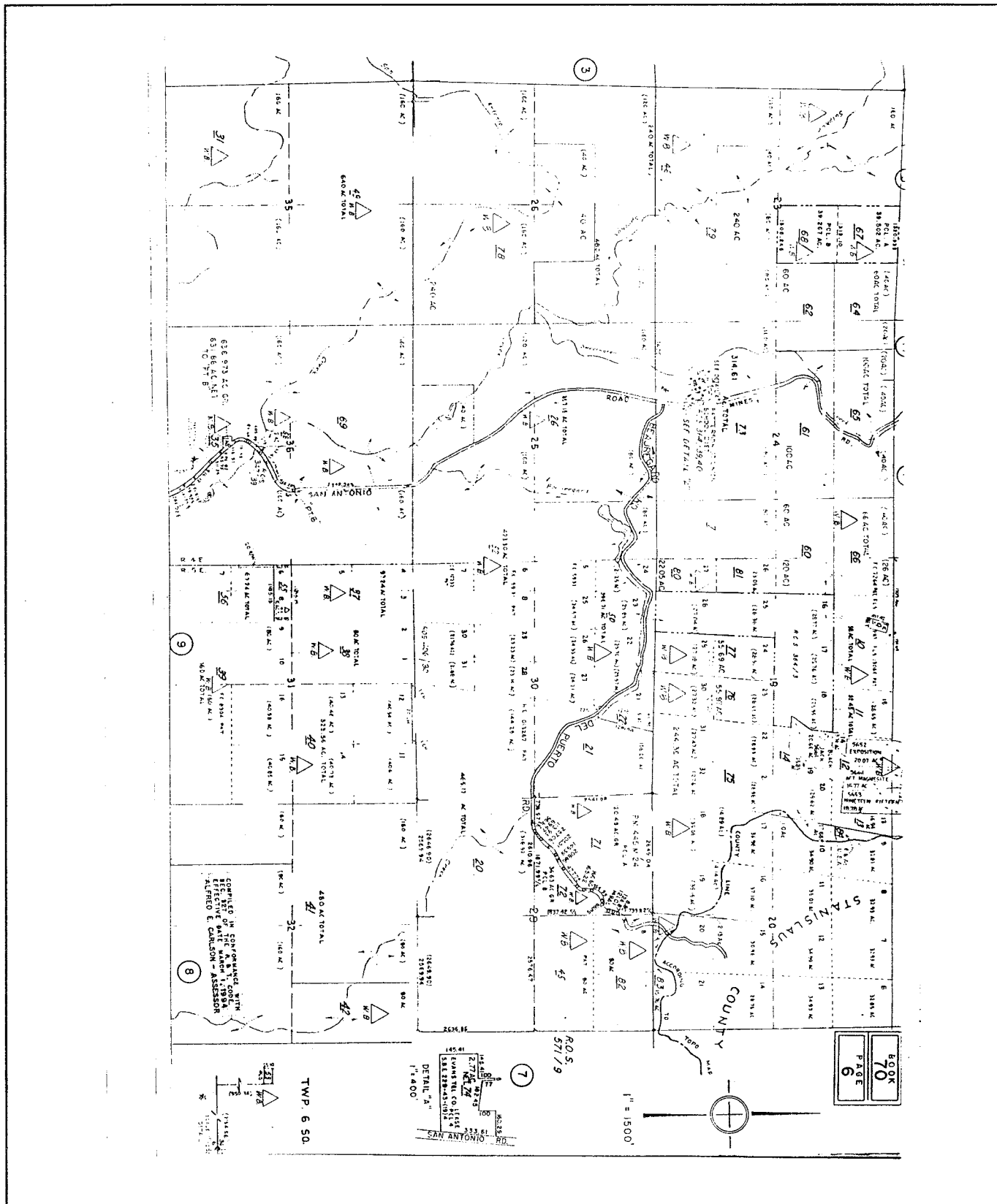
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Resource Identifier: Sweetwater Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: San Antone Fire Control Station Barracks

B2. Common Name: Sweetwater Forest Fire Station

B3. Address: 47405 Mines Road

City: Livermore

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 94550

B4. Zoning: AR (agricultural range land)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

The east wing was added circa 1961. The building was remodeled in 1968. More remodeling took place circa 1975 (windows, doors, siding, and etc. were replaced). It was then converted to a combination barracks. Additional remodeling circa 1980.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Part of a fire station compound.

B10. Architect: State Division of Architect; revisions: CDF

Builder: CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9 – state fire station

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1943 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

This is one of only three 20' x 40' combination barracks to have survived from the 1943 - 1945 era. It probably was designed by the California State Division of Architect based on general ideas contained in the older USFS-CCC "D" series plans. The building has been enlarge and remodeled removing much of its historic architectural integrity.

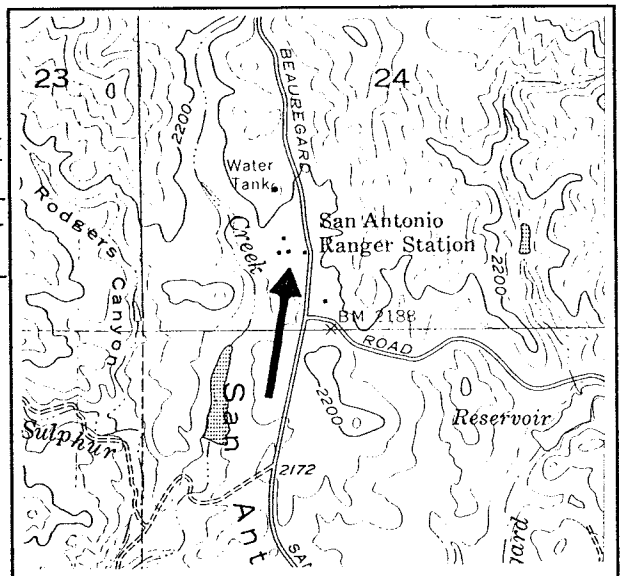
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Resource Identifier: Sweetwater Forest Fire Station

B1. Historic Name: San Antone Fire Control Station Kitchen-Messhall

B2. Common Name: Evans Telephone Company Field Office

B3. Address: 47405 Mines Road

City: Livermore

County: Santa Clara

Zip: 94550

B4. Zoning: AR (agricultural range land)

B5. Threats: unknown

B6. Architectural Style: Craftsman-Bungalow with fascia

B7. Alterations and Date(s):

The building was remodeled in the late 1960s.

B8. Moved? ☒ No ☐ Yes ☐ Unknown Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Original Location: \_\_\_\_\_

B9. Related Features:

Formerly a part of a fire station compound.

B10. Architect: unknown

Builder: CDF

B11. Historic Attributes: (List attributes and codes) HP9 -- former state fire station building

B12. Significance: Theme Forestry and wildland fire protection Area State-wide

Period of Significance 1943 to the present Property Type fire suppression facility Applicable Criteria A & D

(Discuss importance in terms of historical or architectural context as defined by theme, period, and geographic scope. Also address integrity.)

The fire station is on leased land. In the mid-1970s CDF vacated the kitchen-messhall and the landowner is currently leasing the building to a private telephone company. The building was recorded for this project as an associated resource but it is not owned by the CDF and is not a part of the CDF inventory or management plan. It retains much of its historic character.

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